

# QUIPS & QUOTES

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EXCALIBUR '98

PICTURED AT RIGHT:

- 1) SHANE MEHLING (11)
- 2) MELISSA BURKE (11), JEN KALTUNAS (11)
- 3) WAYNE HEISTAND (12), JIM GREER (12)
- 4) JEN BARKER (11), CANDACE SMITH (11),  
ATHENA NARJES (11), MIKE BOLIN (12)



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PAYING CLOSE ATTENTION TO THE LECTURE, SARAH SHOUP (12) IS RIPPENED FOR HER CALCULUS ASSIGNMENT. SARAH DRESSED UP LIKE A BANANA ON HALLOWEEN.

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PICKETING FOR A NEW TEACHER CONTRACT, MR. TOM MAY, MR. MIKE MALASKI, AND MR. KIT DEGENHART WALK AROUND THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING. THE CONTRACT SETTLED IN NOVEMBER. (ABOVE) THE SENIORS CHEERED AS THEIR FLOAT MOVED AROUND THE SQUARE. THE SENIORS WON BOTH THE SPIRIT WALL AND THE FLOAT COMPETITION DURING SPIRIT WEEK.

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 Displaying their school spirit, Tim Duncan (11), Brian Giacomini (9), Megan Guyer (11), Kristy Fouch (11), and Adam Romanak (9), march around the square during the annual Homecoming parade. The marching band spent many hours preparing for this special event.  
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## QUIP

At the beginning of the year my classroom roof started leaking and some tiles from the ceiling fell. One of my sleepy students was hit by a falling tile which he had thought was thrown at him by another student. We explained the falling tile to him, but he still seemed confused until another boy explained that it was just a warning from Zeus. 'Ceiling tiles are cheaper than thunderbolts' the boy told him. Safer too, a girl added.

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 During her Arts & Ideas class, Colleen Chapman (11) adds the finishing touches to her mask. Students were required to construct a mask out of plaster and present a speech based on the mask they created.  
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 As he cautiously works on his welding project, Andy Weeks (12) is careful not to get burned. Students were required to wear safety gloves, and sometimes protective eye wear.  
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At the Key Club Halloween Party, Key Club secretary Julia Hamilton (10), paints faces on the children that attended. The Halloween party consisted of games, costume contests, and a haunted house in the cafeteria.

## QUIP

My seniors were talking about Ophelia being swept away by the water (Hamlet), when the ceiling started dripping for the second time. Someone said it was like a mood tape, but more annoying. The class decided to bring in rocks, moss, and a motion-sensitive frog to make a faux waterfall. Another class was surprised when an octopus running down the wall like it's Nippon! Victoria pulled back. "That's quite! The Great Flood!" replied students. "No, it's a drinking fountain that actually works," replied another.

—Christy Seeger, teacher

As a member of the stage crew, sophomore Rick Friedman works on the scenery for the fall play. Members of the cast and crew spent many weeks preparing for the production of "George Washington Slept Here," which turned out to be a huge success.



Waiting in the lobby at Medieval Times, Dave Sendre (12) listens for his hat color to be called. Seniors in the World Literature classes went to Medieval Times after reading the *Nibelungenlied*.





**O**n a positive note however, according to the FBI Uniform Crime Report, Crown Point was voted as the **'Safest City in Indiana'**. Figures showed there were 1.5 crimes for every 100 Crown Point residents, lower than ever before. "I think it's a tremendous honor for our community....I think it speaks highly of our police force," said Mayor James Metros.

Despite the controversy surrounding the "new school," students achieved great things. The Girls' Cross Country team won their sectional, regional, semi-state, and **placed third in the state**. For the third consecutive year, the football team came up with a Homecoming game victory. While teams acquired athletic success, students acquired academic success. Academic Decathlon member Brittany Kubacki made it all the way to **state competition**, and the Spell Bowl team tied for first place. In addition, students worked together to collect food and clothes for the poor, donate blood, and support families at Christmas. "It **feels good to help** other kids, especially those who probably won't get anything for Christmas," said Cheryl Baack (10).

While **gaining knowledge and friendship**, students prepared for the future with or without a new school. Many weren't sure what the future would bring, but they were ready to find out. --Melanie McGoldrick



PARKING LOTS WERE ADDED TO THE SENIOR

**6**

I thought it was great because I could come to school at eleven after seven, and still get a parking space." **Kimberly**

ZERO STUDENTS CAME TO MERRILLVILLE

**7**

I was very happy when zero students showed up because I finally found a job that I really enjoyed mostly because of the girls and the other freshmen." **Adam**

WE WON THE HIGH SCHOOL GAME?

**8**

I was very happy when we won only for the fans and for our team but not because it was a good way to start off homecoming night." **Adam**

155 STUDENTS DONATED \$250?

**9**

I thought it was great that all these students and finally gave blood because it was for many things." **Adam**

CROWN POINT GOT A HOCKEY TEAM?

**10**

I thought it was great because I like hockey, but I still wish there had been a girls' team." **Adam**



**Manoli Pappas** (11) **helps his parents**. Mrs. Pappas' class **helped a family for Christmas and received them some presents, and basic necessities.**

**Danielle** (11) **coils the pieces for her art project.** I liked because a lot of it was both fun and challenging.



# ACTIVITIES, CLUBS, CLASSES

Planet School Team Divides Community

## ADD TO STUDENT LIFE

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*We went to St. Louis on a field trip. One day we called three cabs to pick us up from Planet Hollywood. My group was in the second cab. Our advisor was in the last one. She told the cabbies to take us to the Arch museum. Well, none of the cabbies spoke English very well. As my group in the second cab stopped at the Arch, the group in the first cab exited onto the freeway. We had no idea where they were going. After we stood out in the freezing weather for about 10 minutes, our advisor's cab arrived. She was frantic wanting to know where the other students were. She called the cab company from a pay phone demanding to know where the "idiot driver" took her students. Finally, the foreign cab driver brought them back and demanded that the students pay the mileage for his mistake. Obviously, his English improved when he talked about money." —CAROLYN TAYLOR (11)*

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## LIVE & LEARN

*A* student's life consisted of fun time, class time, work time... and students found many ways to spend this time.

Weekends provided a time to relax. Whether they attended a party, went to the mall, went dancing at Zero Gravity, which opened in November, or slept, students made the most of their short weekends. Some students with jobs, found themselves with little or no free time during the week or weekend. Amber Foreman (12) said, "I work at Zero Gravity, and since it is only open on weekends, I spend the whole weekend there. I really don't mind because I have the weekdays off, and I meet a lot of people there."

Clubs also provided entertaining times and in some cases a chance to give back to the community. HERO found sponsors for all of the angels on the angel tree at Christmas, PAR sponsored the first "Random Acts Of Kindness Week," and Foreign Language held the annual 'Olympic' games. "I liked Spanish Club, not only because it was fun, but also because I got to meet many new people," said Brian Reid (10).

When it came down to it, life wasn't all about fun and games. With school came quizzes, tests, and final exams. The stress over finals was heightened when busted pipes closed some of the classrooms. Once those college acceptance letters arrived however, senioritis struck, and earlier than ever. The words, "I've already been accepted to college, so I don't have to worry about second semester," were heard over and over again. Teachers complained that seniors procrastinated. "I usually waited till the last minute to do my homework, or copied it off a very nice friend," said Mike Higginbotham (12).

With only five minutes between classes, students had little time to get their books, say "Hi" to a couple of friends, and sprint to their next class. After all, four tardies meant the ever so boring day in ACC. Some students seemed to escape the punishment despite their inability to arrive to class on time. "If you are a couple minutes late, but always respect your teachers, they give you a little slack. That's how I got away with being tardy so often. They all liked me," said Anthony Stevenson (12).

Whether it was hanging out with friends, going to a dance, working, studying, or attending club activities, school life provided a chance for students to

## Live & Learn



After taking out his opponent, senior Josh Swanson turns up the victor. Josh along with his group chose to do a mock medevil battle for their senior English project.



Loading up for cars, seniors Allison Klamas and Kris Pajacki, transport the clothes from the clothes drive. The clothes drive, sponsored by HERO, was once again a huge success.



"I found it hard to juggle the play with school, my job, and my free time, but I like to perform so it is definitely worth it." -Steve Parrish (11)

"After the 'Miss the Pig' fund-raiser, I went home and brushed my teeth about four times." -English teacher Diane Lange

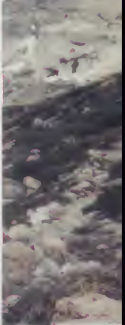




"In July, my A.A.U. team traveled to Las Vegas. After playing several games, our team lost two days before our scheduled flight home. So, about eight of us thought we'd try gambling for our first time and we hit the casinos! After throwing away several dollars into the slots, we went to MGM Casino. Jeff Fus put in 75 cents and the machine started whistling and the lights were going off, so we thought he won a lot of money. He actually only won 40 quarters. Not too long after, the manager and police surrounded the eight of us. They then were going to fine us \$10,000 each for underage gambling. After having a discussion for an hour they finally decided to let us go. It was a great time until we got caught." —Chris Westforth (12)

#### KING OF THE HILL

Balancing on the rocks of the Colorado Rockies, Dean Costakis (11) enjoys the scenery. It was Dean's first time hiking in the mountains.



Students enjoy the simplicities of summer

## Summer Fun

#### SPORTS

Cricket is a popular sport in England. Students (11) enjoy playing in the schoolyard. The boys have a great time.

No alarm clocks, no driving to school before the sun comes up, no rushing to classes before the bell... Summer was a time away from everyday aggravations of school.

Lazy days filled with friends and fun left students constantly on the go. Amber Collins (11) said, "I went to the Dunes a lot and saw a lot of people I haven't seen since I was little." Students found a way to have fun in the sun.

Many found ways to reach extreme destinations around the world. Josh Powers (12) said, "I went to New Zealand and to the Fiji Islands with an international exchange program to play basketball." Going out of the U.S. was a popular plan. "Going to Australia was one of the best experiences of my life," said Faith Robbins (11). "I saw a lot of poverty also, which was really eye-opening to see how much we have in America." Of course like every summer, Florida was always a popular vacation spot. "I went to Ft. Lauderdale where the U.S.S. George Washington was docked," said Senior Sarah Rose. "I met a lot of sailors."

Whether it was vacationing or simply staying home, summer flew by rapidly. The last day of the summer hit and it was time to prepare for another repetitive first day of school. Dreaming silently, the buzzing of that ever annoying alarm clock went off. Too soon, summer ended and those fun filled days of freedom came to an end.

—Magan Le Neave

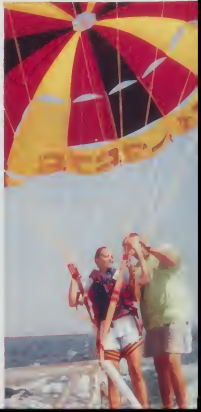


#### GERMAN LIFE-STYLES

On an exchange program, students traveled all over Germany. They visited many famous castles.

#### AYE, AYE, CAPTAIN

While in Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Sarah Rose and Karla Condon (12) talk with a sailor. Both said it was fun.







"I traveled all around the U.S. to play baseball and it was the best time of my life."

-Paul Wirtz (12)



"Most of the summer I worked and on my free time I went out and met a lot of people."

-Monica Widener (11)



"I traveled with my A.A.T. team and water skied most of the summer. It was a blast."

-Kristin Hoffman (11)



"A group of friends and I went up to see the fireworks at Navy Pier on the 4th of July."

-Sara Hicks (11)



#### FLYING HIGH

Sara Chandler (11) is harnessed and ready to go parasailing. She traveled to Myrtle Beach with her family.

#### SOMETHING NEW

On a mission project at Lone Pine Sanctuary in Australia, Faith Robbins (11) cuddles with the Baby Koala she met there named Angel. She said it was one of the best experiences of her life.

"It was a lot of fun dressing up in costumes for Spirit Week. It let everyone get away from our usual stressful classes."

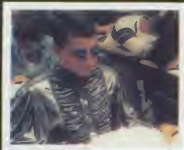
—Chris Ramirez (12)

"I love Spirit Week because it gives me the chance to be creative with my clothes and makeup." —Sarah Short (12)

"Spirit week was a fun way for me to express myself. I had been waiting for this day for a long time."

—Briann Sinkins (12)

"I've always wanted to be a panderer, and this was my chance. You know where this song came around. I had to dress in 'TV's clothes'." —Erek Kiska (10)



#### AND THE WINNER IS

The Homecoming nominees Mandy Sealscott, Jenni Pelton, Andrea Claussen, Jennifer Sanders, and Shannon Korzeniewski anticipate the announcement of the Queen. Andrea walked away with the crown.

#### BRIGHT LIGHTS

Lights filled the hallway during Homecoming Week. Tom Weeks (12) and Tony Barringer (12) acted out a skit during Mr. Equihua's 5th hour class for the annual door competition.



### HERE COMES THE DOG

Creativity comes through as the foreign language clubs join forces to make their float. They pulled away from the traditional float and used the idea of the Chinese Dragon.



### IN PREPARATION!

Working on the senior float, Perry (12) and others are preparing the float for the parade. The float is a Chinese dragon.

"At the pep rally during spirit week, the seniors in fall sports participated in a game. They had to run to one side of the gym with a baseball bat, turn around and run back. When they got to the other side they had to spin around in a circle 10 times with the bat touching their head, then give the bat to the next person. Senior Chris Spohr went and spun around 10 times then tried to run back. Well, he was a little too dizzy and plowed into Shannon Fleming who was cheering the game from the sidelines. They both fell to the ground. The whole school erupted in laughter." -Tom Mayer (12)

Seniors win both float, wall decorating contest

## Spirit Week



The heat was on in more ways than one during homecoming week, September 30 through October 3. With 80 degree weather, the sun shining, and clear skies. Homecoming couldn't have landed at a better time. Students as well as teachers walked the halls all week dressed as cartoon characters, in '70s clothes, and nerds from LaPorte.

There was also the traditional spirit wall competition in the cafeteria. Students decorated the walls with streamers, posters, poms, ribbons, and even Christmas lights. Jen Schach (12) said, "The senior wall was the best I've ever seen it. It was planned out so it looked good." The judges agreed since the seniors took first place. The pep rally began Friday afternoon with performances by the cheerleaders and the dance team. The annual homecoming parade and judging of the floats took place before the game.

At the halftime of the game, the fans cheered their team on anxiously awaited the outcome of the Homecoming Queen competition. The nominees Andrea Claussen, Shannon Korzeniewski, Jenni Pelton, Jennifer Sanders, and Mandy Sealscott smiled through the nervousness of the competition. Andrea Claussen (12) prevailed and stole the hearts of the school. "I felt surprised and honored at the same time. I never thought I would be nominated, let alone win," said Andrea. As the game continued, the Dogs pulled ahead and overcame the LaPorte Slicers 28 to 14. - Sarah Rose



### BREAK ON THROUGH

Prior to the Homecoming game, Brian Parker (12) breaks through the cheerleaders sign. The rest of the team followed.

### FLOATING THROUGH TOWN

At the parade, the seniors roll through town on their class float. They won the float competition.



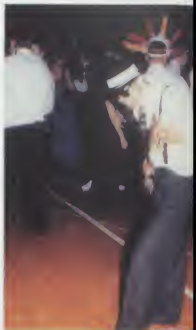
With the canopy of lights, story book entrance, picturesque gazebo, and the fairy-tale like castle, the decorations clearly marked the traditional Homecoming Dance and accurately fit the theme "Once Upon a Dream." Jen Kutanovski (11) said, "People put in a lot of time and it really showed; the gym was by far the best decorated out of any of the other dances." The students enjoyed not only decorations in the gym, but also the decorations in the cafeteria and hallways. Sarah Rucinski (10) said, "I liked how the Booster Club decorated not only the gym but the cafeteria and entrance as well. It made the whole atmosphere magical!"

Although the decorations were loved by most, the music was not. Mike Perry (12) said, "The D.J. played too many '80s songs, but not enough slow songs. Although the students didn't enjoy the old songs played at the dance, they did enjoy the traditional Y.M.C.A. song in which the D.J. passed out hats mocking the Village People."

Students danced the night away until 11 when the lights faded. Although the dance ended, the night was still young. A few couples hopped into a limousine and headed to Chicago for a night out. Most couples, however, stayed close to home. Debbie Thompson (11) said, "We ate at Alexander's and then went back to a friends house for a get together. It was a BLAST!!!" The dance proved to be enjoyed by most and went down, as usual, a big success. --Mandy Springman

#### HATS OFF

Sporting his top hat and glasses, Al Guillen (11) shows off his moves on the floor of the gym. The D.J. gave away funky hats and sunglasses to students during the song Y.M.C.A. Booster Club, the sponsor of the dance, spent over \$200 on props, hats, sunglasses and other toys. "It has become a tradition now to pass out the hats, sunglasses and other toys. We've been doing it for the last three years," said Kristen Henderlong (12), Booster Club president.



Dreams come true for Homecoming King, Queen

## Once Upon a Dream

#### APPROXIMATIONS

Dancing is in his wife, Jason Thompson (11) always finds her. Valerie (11), Eric (11), and Danielle (11) are

"After the dance, me and all of my friends went out to eat at House of Kobe. At this particular restaurant, the cook cooks the food right in front of you. All of us were laughing and having a good time when the chef asked if he could throw a piece of chicken into someone's mouth. My date, Kevin Wood, being the funny person that he is, decided to take up the offer. The cook put the piece of chicken on a fork and threw it at Kevin. Well, the cook missed his mouth and hit him right smack in the eye instead!! I'll never forget the look on Kevin's face."

--Beth Jamison (11)



#### OUT OF REACH

Out of grasp, Christa Angelov (9) reaches for the cloud which held her and her date's name. The Booster Club made clouds for each couple attending the dance.





#### SILLY SENIORS

*Jennifer Stiak (12) Jamie Vargo (12), and Shannon Korzeniewski (12) dance the night away in their socks. In order to protect the gym floor, shoes were not permitted.*

#### SPOTLIGHT DANCE

*In the spotlight, Brian Parker (12) and Andrea Claussen (12) crowned Queen and Mr. Football, share the traditional solitary dance. Both said they were honored and all the nominees deserved to win.*



*"Going to the punch and cookie stand with Jeff Swirha was very exciting, but I had a great time with my beautiful date Shannon Korzeniewski."*

*—Brandon Smith (12)*



*"My most memorable moment was when we went out to dinner. All of my friends were there and we laughed and had a great time. My best dance yet."*

*—Alec Martin (11)*



*"The dance was a fun time. My friends and I had a great time. I couldn't break an ace."*

*—Katie Schilling (11)*



*"It was an honor and privilege to be crowned Mr. Football. All of the nominees deserved to win."*

*—Brian Parker (12)*

# Anything Goes in FASHION

Walking the halls, students were dressed in a variety of different ways. While many students followed the latest trends, others added a twist to their closets. Picking clothes for the following day was a chore for a few students, while others dressed to please themselves. "I don't necessarily pay attention to what's 'cool' or not. I generally dressed in something that I liked or something that I was comfortable in. If what I wore was in style, then I guess that was all the better," said Amber Hillegonds (11).

With fashion came hairstyles, jewelry, and shoes to add to the dilemma of what to wear. For Lauren Keiser (11), accessories were just as important as the clothes she was wearing. "I have

over 50 pairs of shoes and tons of jewelry. Accessories make the clothes so I needed lots of different jewelry for every outfit." Some

students proved that it was better to be themselves than to follow what other people said was so-called "trendy".

--Jacqui Thompson



## Hair Today, Gone Tomorrow Styles



"Hair was yet another way to express views on fashion. While some teens stressed about their hair just as much as about what they wore, Megan Hite (10) said, 'I like having my hair short because it doesn't take much time in the morning to do. I can just wash it and go, no muss no fuss.' Some students chose their hairstyles purely by coincidence. 'I was at a party and someone messed up my hair so I took a shower and didn't

comb it. It was going to be a summer thing, but I ended up liking it," said Mike Avery (12). Short hair was most common among the guys. Bobs, bangs, and layers were among the most popular styles for girls. Whether it was short, medium, or long didn't matter, as long as it was easy to manage.



## Not enough SCENTS

### LOTIONS

"I have very dry skin, so I end up using a lot of lotion, especially during the winter. I like the Bath and Body Works lotion. It's not greasy and smells nice."

Katherine Weber (12)

### SPRAYS

"I enjoy wearing body sprays because they give me an opportunity to express my mood and what kind of personality I have."

Kristen Henderlong (12)

### SPRINKLES

"I like wearing body splashes because they keep me feeling cool and fresh. They are more natural than perfumes and colognes."

Karlise Matting (11)

# Wear It's At *Fashion*



**"Don't"** settle for a dress that you don't love."

**"Do"** find a dress that you really like."

Tim Tatum and Phil Pines (11)

**"Don't"** wear clothes and dress how other people think you should."



Josh Sauerbrey (11)

**"Do"** wear what you like and what you think looks good."



**"Don't"** follow the crowd

**"Do"** be original! Dress in what you like"

Sarah Rose (11)

**"Don't"** tight roll or wear tapered jeans

**"Do"** wear wide leg jeans



Andrew Claussen and  
Cassidy Sauerbrey (11)



Andrew Smith (12)

**"Don't"** wear tight clothes

**"Do"** dress like me

**Watch  
Out**

Guess or Fossil watches were the most popular brands students wore.



**Hats  
Off**

John Moorehead (11) dons the preferred mode of wearing a hat.



**Ring  
Things**

Students wore silver rings, beaded necklaces, and turtle and butterfly jewelry



**"R**emember, I was trying different shoes with an outfit. I've never. I didn't realize that I left the house wearing two different shoes," said Andrew Claussen (12). "Whether it's knowing which shoes to wear with an outfit, or not being able to find a shoe's partner, shoes caused fashion problems everyday."

**It's A Shoe In**

Feature



Passing periods and lunchtime provided students with a break from the stresses of the school day. Passing periods gave students the chance to talk to their friends and catch up on the gossip that accumulated over the day. Shannon Lowery (12) said, "I enjoyed talking to my friends about what happened throughout the day." This free time also gave students a chance to finish homework and provided a few extra minutes to prepare for tests.

Another break for students was lunchtime. With the cafeteria and an open campus, students could pick from a variety of foods, from chicken patties and french fries to pizza from Domino's, Fiesta Mexico, McDonald's, Chicago's and Pappa's Deli were some of the popular hang outs for those who left campus. For some this was the last chance to enjoy going out for lunch. It was possibly the last year for open campus.--Sarah Rose



#### LAUGH ALOUD

Laughing out loud. Jennifer Schaefer (12) and Jessica LaTulip (12) eat their lunch in the cafeteria. Most days they could be found at the first table.

#### PICK AND CHOOSE

Adding the finishing touches Jennifer Stiak (12) decides what toppings she wants on her sandwich. Many students preferred to stay in for lunch.

#### OUT TO LUNCH

A group of friends head back to school after eating lunch at Pappa's Deli. Open campus gave students a chance to get out into the fresh air.



Students get a break in the day

## Socializing

"It all started my sophomore year. One day I was at my locker when the bell rang. I hurried and shut the locker and started to run, but my shirt was caught. I had no clue what I was going to do. So the first thing that came to my mind was to wait for someone to come. Well, after a few minutes nobody had been down my way. Fortunately, Mr. Ballou's class was right next to my locker so I knocked on his door and he came to my rescue. I was so embarrassed. I told him it was a freak accident that would never happen again. But it did this year. A friend helped me under my dress. Although to this day I still get made fun of."  
—Angela Shepard (12)

#### NUN ON THE RUN

Walking through the halls dressed as a nun, Jeff Daseker (11) displays his spirit. Passing periods were hectic for students trying to enjoy the chaos.



#### PLAY YOUR CARDS RIGHT

At lunch, Rick Friedman (11), Chris Hamilton (11), Karl Schilling (11), and Julie Grevis (12) enjoy a game of cards. For most lunch was a time to relax.





#### OVER THE BORDER

*Out to lunch at Fiesta Mexico. Pete Cerros (10) and David Carlotta (10) enjoy some good old tacos. Many students preferred to go to Fiesta Mexico for the restaurant style.*



*"I have lunch because it gives me a chance to go with my friends. It also gives me a chance to go to the school of my choice."*

*Ken Stark (10)*



*"Lunch is my favorite time of the day because I can sit with my friends and have my own time to do anything but school."*

*Sammy Smith (10)*



*"I like lunch because it gives me a chance to go with my friends and have my own time to do anything but school."*

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*"I like to have my own time to do anything but school."*

*Sammy Smith (10)*

*"My mornings were very hectic and chaotic. I dreaded waking up every morning and getting ready for school."*

*-Kathleen Lambert (10)*



*"I usually wake up late every morning. Most mornings I did my hair and makeup in the car on the way to school."*

*-Shelly Patterson (10)*



*"Eating breakfast was very important to me. I tried to eat something, even if it was just an apple."*

*-Matt Searce (11)*



*"Getting ready for school was one of my least favorite things to do. I hated getting up when the sun hadn't even come up."*

*-Molly Dicks (12)*



#### HAIR DO'S!!

*To finish up her morning routine, Natalie Barenie (11) blow dries her hair. After showering, grabbing the hair dryer became a morning ritual. (right)*

#### TONY THE TIGER!!

*Eating the most important meal of the day, Brad Pelton (9) finishes his bowl of Frosted Flakes. Cereal was a popular breakfast food among most students.*



## IN A HURRY!!

In a hurry, Mike Perry (12) shaves his face. Mike said he hated having to shave every morning. He'd rather sleep in a little. (left)



## CURLS, CURLS!!

For the perfect curl, Jennifer Skowronek (11) uses her hair curlers. "It's so easy to use," said Jennifer. (right)



## COVER GIRL!!

Applying the finishing touches, Amber Volk (10) powders her face. Putting on makeup became a routine.

## THE LAST SIP!!

Before school, Justin Warren (12), takes his last sip of chocolate milk. Eating breakfast at school was popular.

"One morning I woke up to notice my alarm clock read 6:45. I was startled because I always got up at 6:15. I was surprised my mom didn't wake me, but I panicky threw on some clothes and ran out the door. I started up my car, let it run for a few minutes, and took off to school. It wasn't until I reached the parking lot that I realized it was Saturday. Talk about embarrassing. Now that I look back I'm surprised my mom didn't notice I was leaving or wonder where I was going that early on a Saturday. She must have known."

—Heather Wirtz (12)

Students discuss frustration of getting up early

# Morning Routines

Alarm clocks, showers, breakfast, toothbrushes. What did all of these things have in common? Morning rituals. Most students feared the early awakening from a deep sleep by the annoying buzzing of the alarm clock. "The sound of my alarm clock was the worst thing in the world," said Colleen Chapman (11).

Although some students were not morning people, others were. Sara Flores (10) said, "I was a lot more awake and energetic in the morning than in the afternoon." For most students, getting out of bed was the hardest thing about getting ready for school. Even after they got up and got ready, 1st hour was still tough to get through. Beth Jamison (11) said, "I think school should start at 8:30. I would get an extra hour of sleep and be more awake in 1st hour." However, Justin Miller (9) said, "School shouldn't start any later because I wouldn't want to stay longer in the day."

Most morning routines consisted of a shower, getting dressed, doing hair and or makeup, brushing teeth, and finally getting off to school. But what about the most important meal of the day: Breakfast!!!! Kristen Slepceovich (9) said, "After taking a shower, I did my hair and makeup while eating a muffin. I didn't have time to sit down and eat a normal breakfast." After all the struggles of morning routines, it was finally off to school.

—Mandy Springman

"Steven Marshall (10) and I walk to Dominos for lunch everyday. It would be better if we could drive somewhere else."

N-Andrew Oswalds (10)



"A is so great being a Senior because I can park in the lots even though they are a mile a way"

-Kevin Fricke (12)



"After a stressful day of school, it feels great to finally leave school, even if it takes ten minutes to walk the parking lot."

Vince Stevens (12)



"After a long day of school, I decided to do something at the cars. I only got stuck a few times, but nothing I can't handle it for."

-Amelia Schurz (12)



#### ON THE ROAD AGAIN

Leaving after fourth hour, Samantha Carrell (12) and Whitney Rogers (12) take off to their jobs. "I leave early for school every day, but I still end up having to park far away. The underclassmen need to park in their lot and stop using ours," said Samantha.

#### BACK TO SCHOOL!

While warming up his car, Jeremy Powers (12) prepares to leave for his job. Jeremy was part of the I.C.E. work program.





#### CLEANING HIS WINDSHIELD

T.J. Wigmore (11) scrapes his windows as the first snowfall attacks. Since he wasn't prepared, he had to use a towel.



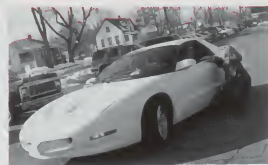
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"My car was basically a piece of crap. It was a canary yellow, '82 cutlass olds. It was almost as old as me. Well anyway, the car was a problem starter. One time on the way to school, with a car load of people, the brakes went out and I nearly hit a tree. Two days later they went out again and I almost hit a second tree. I had to fill it up with break fluid everyday after that. One time the door almost fell off. Seeing the car definitely wouldn't make it during the winter months, my dad bought me a red probe. My dad thought it was unsafe for me to drive, go figure."—Heather Wirtz (12)

Students anxiously wait for Driver's License

## Transportation



Students impatiently waited to get that little plastic card that said you could now drive. Driving to school was a perk, especially for seniors since they had to wait three full school years just to park in the lots. Senior Andrea Claussen said, "I am finally a senior and can park at the school; not down the street."

Getting a license wasn't the only issue. Students wanted a car of their very own. However, the hope of getting a shiny new convertible was often crushed when the reality of monthly payments and insurance costs set in. The responsibility of payment was more often than not up to the student. Brian Thomas (12) said, "A car is very hard to pay for." Adam Fargo (12) agreed. He said, "I get up every morning at 4 to do a paper route just so I can pay for my ride."

Even if parents provided a car, it was difficult if one had to share. "My sister and I fight over the car all of the time," said Amy Collins (11). "We have to share because we're twins."

Not everyone had the option of getting a car at all. Chris Kyle (9) said, "I ride the bus. It's not very interesting." The famous "Cheesewagon" wasn't very popular according to most students. Did it have something to do with the rules? Rich Leigh (10) said, "I get in trouble on the bus nearly everyday!"

Despite their current mode of transportation, most everyone dreamed owning a car. —Megan Le Neave

#### MAKING A PIT STOP

Cruising through the parking lot, Jason Bonesteel (11) stops to chat with a friend. He had to make many pit stops.

#### BACK TO SCHOOL!

Brian Parker (12) and Chad Kazmerski (12) engage in a snowball fight. The vehicles were very handy for avoiding them.

# **BROUGHT TOGETHER!!**

*At the December 6th dance, Ed Sinchai (11) and Mike Smith (10) joke around. The two received a laugh from their friends for dancing together when a slow song played. (right)*

# **STRUTTIN' THEIR STUFF!!**

*Juniors Matt Fronek, Pat Mills, and Randy Asher boogie at the December dance. The D.J. turned the yellow lights on the three guys while they danced.*



*"After basketball games I enjoyed attending dances and just having fun with my friends."*

*-Jessica Shively (10)*



*"Dances were a fun time (and) we were all just having fun with our friends."*

*-Steven Winkler (11)*



*"Being able to dance and having fun was the best part of the night."*

*-Lisa Hildner (10)*



*"Having fun was the best part of the night."*

*-Mike Smith (10)*



### JUST HAVING FUN!!

*Showing off his moves, J.D. Kucharski (11), goofs around. J.D. showed off his dancing ability. (left)*

### BOOGIE NIGHTS!!

*Megan Renner (11) boogies at an after game Valentine's Day dance. Students often let their true selves shine through. (below)*



Dance moves, friends, loud music, strobe lights—all of these things were found at after game dances. Various clubs sponsored the events to earn a little extra money. Many students had trouble getting into dances. Students not only needed the \$3, but they were not allowed in without their school I.D. The administration required students to present school identification to prevent students from other schools coming into the dance.

### DANCE, DANCE, DANCE!!

*Dancing to the beat, Angela James (11) shows off her style of dancing. Angela was a member of the dance team. (below)*



"My friends and I went to a dance after a game and I didn't have my I.D., so they wouldn't let me in," said Emily Nolan (10).

Despite the new rule, some students still attended. "I've attended all but one; they're the BOMB," said Matt Fronek (11).

The dances were held in the cafeteria after the game and lasted until 11:00 P.M.. Casey Polovitch (11) said, "It was fun to break it down with all your friends."

—Mandy Springman



### STAYIN' AWAY

*Students find their way to the gymnasium and early classes during the Valentine's Day dance. Many students found their way to the dance.*



### GETTIN' THE GROOVE ON!!

*Celebrating Valentine's Day, Kristin Hoffman (11) shakes it up. Valentine's Day marked the last dance.*

Gettin' in the groove of things

## After Game Dances

"After a basketball game, my friends and I went to go to the dance held in the cafeteria. We were a little late because it was the first time we had a game. When we got there, all the other students were already dancing. There were a lot of people there, and within a half hour it was really packed. My friends and I were all dancing and having a good time and having a lot of fun. When it was time to go, I stayed in the gym for a while and then I went home. I had a lot of fun and I was really tired when I got home. My friends, my parents, and my friends all stayed in the gym for a while and then they went home."

—Colleen Clancy, 11

# MOMENT IN TIME

*Trying to find their little bottle of bubbles, Adam Fargo (12) and Brie Moore (11) look for their names. Adam and Brie, like many couples, went just as friends. (right)*

# IN YOUR ARMS

*While the lights were low, Sam Carlson (12) and Magan LeNeave (11) dance to a slow song. Sam and Magan started dating his sophomore year. (center)*



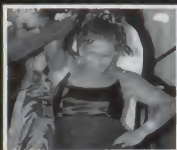
*"Tremaine was Italian, and I had a great time with the girl I was with."*

*Kevin Wood (11)*



*"I had the best time dancing at Virendra's, me and all my friends had a really great time."*

*—Jocelyn Ireland (11)*



*"Aly's date and I had a really good time at the dance. I had a lot of fun dancing with my date."*

*—Timothy (11)*



*"I had a lot of fun at the dance. I had a lot of fun dancing with my date."*

*—Jocelyn Ireland (11)*





#### NIGHT FEVER

*Al Guillen (11) shows off his dancing skills. Dancing provided some with a break from their dates! (left)*

#### HOLD ME FOREVER

*Close together, Sarah Remes (12) and her date Matt Higginbotham enjoy their night. "My boyfriend and I had a great time and I didn't even pay for dinner."*



**W**alking into the hall for the Turnabout dance took students to another place and time. In the center of the room stood an old-fashioned pirate ship complete with gold and navy sails. Multi colored nets transformed one wall into a coral reef and the stone water fountain complete with changing colored lights fit the theme "Treasure of Love." "I thought the scenery was very authentic and cool. It made my Turnabout very fun," said Kori Stark (12).

#### TAKE ME AWAY

*Looking into his eyes, Laura Kunst (10) dances with her date from Lake Central. Some chose to be accompanied by guests from other schools or graduates.*



During the dance, leis, big sunglasses, and funny hats were handed out to students and the D.J. played music from a variety of decades. "I thought the music could have been a little bit more up to date. It seemed as though they played the same old songs every year," said Jenny Schach (12).

By the end of the dance, most couples were on their way to enjoy the rest of their evening. Some went to dinner in Chicago while others decided to go home, order pizza, and watch a flick.

--Sarah Rose

#### PICTURE PERFECT

*Packing the house, pictures of pictures, Mike Beckins and Danielle Perout are 100% devoted to one subject.*



#### ON THE FLOOR

*Carl Zurbriggen (12) dances to one of his favorite songs. Turnabout was an opportunity for some to get their groove on.(above)*

Theme 'Treasure of Love' transforms hall

## Turnabout

"Tonight at Turnabout my whole group went to take pictures at ten Schaefer's house before the dance. When we got there ten was running around frantically. We soon found out that one of the boys on her new phone told us. We were all standing around, silently waiting to leave and to the background we could hear him dad trying to nail the post back in. Eventually he fixed it and we were off. Expressly on the way into the dance we tripped and broke our shoe down." -Steph Schmitz (12)

# Home for the HOLIDAYS

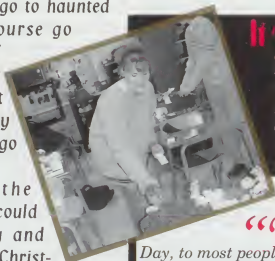
Everyone had a favorite holiday. Some liked Halloween the best, while others preferred Christmas, New Year's, Valentine's Day, or Easter. "I loved Halloween. It was fun to see the little kids in their costumes go to haunted houses and of course go trick-or-treating," said Melissa Momper (12). Most students felt they weren't too old to go trick-or-treating.

Getting into the Christmas spirit could be both relaxing and frustrating. With Christmas came beautiful lights and decorations, Christmas carols, a reunion with family members, and of course a few weeks or days off school or work. "I'd have to say Christmas was my favorite time of year. I loved the atmosphere, lights, music, family, ice-skating, and last minute shopping," said Jen Kutanovski (11).

Christmas was a time for giving, whether it was money, articles of clothing, food, or one's time. Mrs. Ciochina's class adopted a family for Christmas. The class provided them with food, clothes, and

gifts. Christmas wasn't always about fun though. Traffic, crowded stores, parking lots, and the long list of gifts to buy led to many stressed and angry people.

--Melanie McGoldrick



## It's 'Heart' to Find True Love

ROSES ARE RED,  
VIOLETS ARE BLUE,  
DID YOU GET A  
CARNATION SENT  
TO YOU?



"Valentine's Day, to most people, meant a special time to spend with that special someone. Valentine's Day was not only a day for love, but also another day for showering that special someone with special gifts. "My girlfriend got me a picture book, candy, and stuffed animals. And I bought her balloons, flowers, and took her to Chicago for a romantic dinner for two," said Jarrett Babinscak (12)

(above right).

The "Inklings" sponsored the annual Carnation sale. Students could purchase carnations for \$2 a piece. Red meant will you marry me, pink meant love, and the white ones stood for friendship. "As part of the newspaper staff, I helped with the carnation sales. It was so sweet to see the guys you never expected buy carnations for their girlfriends."

-- Carolyn Taylor (11) (above left).



Putting boxes of clothes into the trunk of a vehicle was something I did every year. I had to go to the store to get the clothes that I had to take with me. I had to go to the store to get the clothes that I had to take with me.

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HANKSGIVING

On Thanksgiving I get to see my sister who came home from college. After eating a big turkey dinner with my family I decided to exercise.

--Karluc Mahoney (11)

## 'DAZE' OFF

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EW YEAR

I got to a party with my friends on New Year's Eve. On New Year's day I had a great time. I usually didn't have to work for once.

--Karluc Mahoney (11)

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On March 1st I got to a party with my friends. I had a great time. I usually didn't have to work for once.

--Karluc Mahoney (11)

Halloween



"Decorating the [referees'] at Christmas time is a good reason to do it," says the author. "It's fun, and when we do it we have a great party. We also dress up as Santa and pass out little gifts to the referees." *—Mimi D. Hordt, 1997*



# All in a Day's Work

"One Friday night my friends and I were at Jonah Weiss's house in the Four Seasons. We didn't really have anything to do and were kind of bored. So, Rob Dado said that he would do anything for money. We all bet Rob that he wouldn't jump into the lake. It was October so the water was very cold. We didn't think Rob would actually do it. Sure enough, Rob borrowed some trunks, went out to the pier, and jumped in the freezing water. He forgot to bring a towel and everyone was laughing at him. He ran into the house and jumped in the shower trying to warm up. It turned out that the electricity had gone out, so Rob was freezing the rest of the night."

—Jeff Svihra (12)

#### SIDE BY SIDE

In between classes Glen Metros (11) and Stephanie Schmitz (12) enjoy the passing period. Dating people in different grade levels was very common.



Friendships, dating play important part of life

## Relationships

Relationships were all around us. They came and went, some lasted for minutes, some for an eternity. Dating and friendships were to some, one of the most important factors in high school. Some chose to have one steady boyfriend or girlfriend while others preferred to date several people. "I preferred to date only one guy at a time. Sometimes if you date more than one you can get into a bit of trouble," said Carly Haniford (12). Dating on the weekends gave students something to look forward to. Going to the movies, out to dinner, trips to the mall, hanging out at sporting events, and an occasional trip to Chicago where some of the popular things to do.

"I didn't really date that much, so I basically liked to hang out with my friends throughout the week and on the weekends," said Jen Schaefer (12). With friends, students could do many of the same things that they could on a date. Friendships were probably the most important kind of relationship. Friends helped to get through all the tough times in school, helped to make major decisions about the future, and were always there when in need of someone to talk to. Relationships made high school that much more fun. Hanging out and enjoying free time was much more special with friends.

—Sarah Rose

#### BOILING HANBY

Starting today the South Branch (SOUTH BRANCH) students will be taking a break from their regular classes to enjoy the winter break. The students will be spending time with their families and friends. The students will be back in school on Monday, January 1st.



#### HONEY, HELP ME

While working hard on a deadline in newspaper class, Josh Johnson (12) and Kristen Henderlong (12) work to finish the center spread for the January issue. Kristen, in her second year on staff, served as the design editor, and Josh, in his rookie year, took photographs, and also wrote news and sports stories. The couple started dating over a year ago. (above)







"The dances were a lot of fun. Me and Sean Cole had fun dancing the night away."  
-Jenny Maynard (10)



"Talking to my friends helps me through the day having them around takes away some of the chaos during the day."  
-Janette Swinehart (12)



"Just me and my boy Adam Coker. We were just chillin' at the dance that anyone nobody recognized."  
-Trevan Zakarumsky (10)



"Turnabout was hot because of how tight someone that I really loved danced."  
-Jocelyn B. Brown (12)



#### TALK TO ME

*Together Adam LaMere (11) and Angela Shepard (12) discuss plans for the weekend. Many students used the passing periods to make plans. (center)*

#### TOGETHER AGAIN

*Catching a last glimpse of each other before class are Carly Haniford (12) and Al Guillen (11). A lot of couples tried to be together during passing periods. (left)*

## TEAM WORK

*Waiting to take an order at Kentucky Fried Chicken, seniors Jennifer Schaefer and Kori Stark greet the customer with a smile. Most after school jobs took a team effort. (right)*

## DOUBLE THE FUN

*Chris Price (12) assembles two quarter pounders at McDonald's. Price took the job to make a little extra spending money. (center)*



"I have worked at my job for 2 years. It's been my best job. I have learned a lot and I have made a lot of friends."

—Jennifer Schaefer (12)

"I have worked at McDonald's for 1 year. It's been my best job. I have learned a lot and I have made a lot of friends."

—Chris Price (12)

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#### BEHIND THE SCENES

*Making a quick drink, Jeff Kiger (12) waits for his shift to end. Jeff worked on the grill at McDonald's. (left)*

#### ORDER OUT

*Jessica Barnhill (11) waits on Shannon Flemming (11) at Wendy's. Many students worked in fast food. (below)*



After school jobs are common amongst high school students. With college on its way, combined with the thought of a car, dances, and spending money, expenses seemed to build up overnight. A job was the next logical step.

"After school jobs were great sources of income. I needed my job to support my many weekend activities," said Brian Thomas (12) about his several after school jobs. Some students chose to work with their friends, while others

#### DISH DUTY

*Nick Reilly (12) completes his least favorite part of the job. Nick often lent a helping hand by offering to wash their dishes. (below)*



focused on easy locations and wages. Lauren Keiser (11) said, "Living out in the Four Seasons, I needed a job close to home, so I went to the mall. With my job so close to home, I can pretty much work whenever they need me."

On the other hand, some teens looked for a job that fit in with their future careers or after school activities. The "value of a buck" became apparent to students who worked for minimum wage.

-Jacqui Thompson

#### VILLAGE BRAND

*Filipino (and) Asian cuisines. Josh Bamler (12) keeps busy. Anthony (senior) and Josh kept two jobs each to pay for college extras.*



#### DECK THE WALLS

*Alexis Hanes (11) picks out a picture frame she feels appropriate. Alexis worked long shifts and fewer days per week. (above)*

Students go to work to earn extras

## After School Jobs



#### ROARING WATERS!!

*Seniors Mike Rokicki, Joe Dlugokinski, Andy Liss, and Chris Spohr ride the white-capped raging waters. The guys took a trip to New River in West Virginia to go white water rafting.*



#### TO THE TOP!!

*Trying to make it to the top, Omar Bhatti (12) attempts to climb a coconut tree. Omar spent spring break at his friend's condo in Daytona Beach.*

*"Cancun was such a crazy place! I definitely recommend everyone to go there at least once in their life."*

*-Karla Condron (12)*



*"The England trip was a lot of fun! It was great having so much time to just walk around and shop."*

*-Molly Oesterle (11)*



*"The clubs in Mexico were by far the funniest part of spring break. There were no limitations on what you could do."*

*-Mike Avery (12)*



*"Rod Dukleski and I had the best time of our lives during spring break. Nothing could ever beat Cancun."*

*-Mike Emole (12)*





#### TIME TO FLY!!

Ryan Henderlong (12) flies over the top of Copper Mountain. During spring break Ryan went to Colorado.

#### SHOPPING AROUND!

Shopping on vacation, seniors Angela Shepard, Samantha Carrell, and Melanie McGoldrick browse for shades. The three went to Clearwater, Florida.



A week off of school provided a time to get away and have some fun. Spring break gave students the chance to enjoy the weather and just kick back and relax.

Some stayed home to relax while many took the opportunity to get away. Florida still prevailed to be the most popular get away. "I went to Florida with some of my

#### IN THE AIR!!

Showing off his skills, Jake Nickell (12) snowboards during the break. Jake took a trip with friends to Copper Mountain in Colorado.



friends. I had a lot of fun. Going away was good. Crown Point can get kind of boring after awhile," said Jamie Vargo (12).

A group of students traveled to Cancun, Mexico. Carly Haniford (12) said, "I will never forget my trip to Cancun. It was the best time of my life." Some students stayed close to home. Laura McMahon (11) said, "I went to Indianapolis because I couldn't go to Florida. It was nice to get away even if it wasn't that far away."

In addition, thirty five students visited London, England.

-Sarah Rose

#### PREPARE TO RIDE

Seniors Sheila Eriks, Rachel Rampacek, Jamie Vargo, Jen Stiak and Shannon Korzeniewski get ready to ride the waves. They went to Ft. Myers beach.



Students take advantage of time off

## Spring Break

"During Spring Break Andy Liss, Mike Rokicki, Chris Spohr, and I went to West Virginia on a white water rafting trip. One day while we were attempting to go down the river our 8 person raft flipped on a class 5 rapid called Miller's Folley on the New River. The rapid was about 135 yards long and the water was about 50 degrees. This was pretty funny, but also a little cold. It was quite a rush."

-Joe Dlugokinski (12)

#### WHAT'S THAT?

While in England, Stevie Greco (11) looks at some books about the Beatles. Stevie visited England with a group from school.

#### BON APPETITE!!

*Trying to feed her date, Katie Potter (12) has a little fun with James Abbott (12). Dinner and dessert began at 7:30 followed by music and dancing.*

#### TAKING A BREAK

*Relaxing during the dance, Melinda Henke (12) and Suzanne Herndon (12) sit and open their gifts. The Prom Committee provided couples with two picture frames to take home as souvenirs.*



*"I had lots of fun dancing with my friends because they are ugly and make me look so much better."*

*-Joe Kukus (12)*



*"We had a really good time. I will remember it for the rest of my life."*

*-Mike Hucha (12)*



*"I had a lot of fun at Prom. I liked the fact that we didn't have to wait in line for a long time to take pictures."*

*-Chris Spahr (12)*



*"It was a great feeling. I was so surprised I won. Being Prom King was so exciting, and I will never forget it."*

*-Mark Kaiser (12)*





With expectations for the most memorable night of their lives, couples attended Prom at St. Elijah Hall. The evening started off at 5 P.M. with the grand march taking place in the gymnasium for the first time. Each couple had the opportunity to walk down the red carpet under the spotlight. In addition, Mark Kaiser and Ashley Highsmith were crowned queen and king. Then it was off to take pictures. For the first time, pictures were taken before the dance. "The idea of taking pictures before the dance was definitely good. Everyone seemed to enjoy their moment in the spotlight during the grand march," said Bob Brannon (11).

At 7 P.M. the doors to St. Elijah Hall opened. Senior Class President Sara Hagberg welcomed everyone and wished them a safe and fun night. Dinner immediately followed. And then the music and dancing began. "If Only For a Moment" set the theme as ivory, lavender, and ice blue decorations filled the hall adding to the romance.

#### GET YOUR GROOVE ON

Having tons of fun, John Hagerman (12) accompanied by Susan Hamilton (12) and Brie Connor (12) get down on the dance floor. Many showed off during Prom.

As the crowd died down, couples left the hall to enjoy the rest of their evening. The following day, groups spent time together, some going to Great America, the Zoo, or just spending the day relaxing. Tom Weeks (12) said, "Going to Great America the next day was a blast." -Sarah Rose



#### PASSING OF THE TITLE

Homecoming queen Andrea Claussen (12) crowns Prom queen Ashley Highsmith (12). Coronation took place in the gym.

#### CROWN ROYALTY

The first dance begins with newly crowned king Mark Kaiser (12) and queen Ashley Highsmith (12).

"If Only For a Moment" set the theme

# Prom



#### CHEEK TO CHEEK

Through the crowd, Mike Higginbotham (12) dances with Jen Kutanoski (11). Prom provided a romantic evening for couples. (left)

"Prom was a disaster from the beginning. To start off, our limo driver was late and he was in a really bad mood. Then we went to the dance. Our limo was only two weeks old. Unfortunately on our way to dinner at the John Hancock building, our limo broke down on 80-94. We were stuck on the highway for a little over two hours. By the time another limo picked us up, we had already missed our dinner reservations. So we had to find somewhere else to eat not to mention that the limo that picked us up was way too small for all of us.

-Dave Delgado (11)

"The ceremony was fun and sad. Well, it all happened after it was over. I gave my car keys to my best friend because she had a purse. Well, she couldn't find her mom so she gave it to another girl's mother. After the ceremony, we couldn't locate the purse. It turned out the people who had my keys were in the lobby of the hotel all along. So it was already 11 P.M. and to make matters worse, it was my birthday. Oh, what a night. My friends took me to Friday's and they sang for me there.

- Kelly Mace

#### WAY TO GO FRIEND

Lauren Kunkle yells for a friend as she crossed the stage. The graduates tried to make sure their friends felt special as they received their diplomas. (right)



#### NERVES OF STEEL

Watching the other graduates, Jason Davis and Dave Dahlman wait their turn. The graduates practiced earlier in the day. (above)

Beach balls, marbles provide entertainment

## Graduation

Friends and family arrived at the Star Plaza Theatre to await the anticipated graduation. Seniors entered the packed auditorium as the school orchestra played "Pomp and Circumstance." After arriving at their seats, the graduates stood at attention while the "National Anthem" resounded through the room. Next, valedictorians Katie Marsh, Erin Bishop, Chris Spohr, Allison Horst, Carrie Fercik, and salutatorian Kelly O'Brien provided the traditional speeches while valedictorian Virginia Anello sang a song as her farewell.

As the graduates crossed the stage, beach balls appeared in the senior section. Even the parents and guests became involved passing the balls back and forth. Teachers did their best to capture the balls, but as soon as they retrieved one, another appeared to take its place. "It was a little crazy, but for the most part, we had a good time," said Peter Kazanas. However, some of the graduates thought their classmates should have held on to the balls until everyone had crossed the stage. "I thought it was sad when the teachers grabbed the balls and everyone started booing. The person crossing the stage might have thought they were being booed," said Angela Shepard.

Once the last senior crossed the stage, Dr. McFann accepted the class, seniors switched their tassels to the other side, threw hats in the air, shouted for joy, and exited the theatre as graduates only to return to school for final exams tomorrow. - Jacqui Thompson



#### WE DID IT!

Celebrating with Jacquie Nelson. Paul Wirtz shows his excitement. A lot of hugging went on. (above)

#### ON THE RUN

Nikki Hays and Justin Ivey march into the theatre. The orchestra played the march.







*"The experience of graduating was intellectually stimulating."*

- Mike Emole



*"My favorite part of graduation was when Carl Zurbriggen moon walked across the stage."*

-Meg Riester with  
Stacey Rimkus



*"I thought the beach balls kind of took away from why we were there. I guess it was funny to some people."*

- Sara Hagberg



*"The ceremony was really nice. I didn't really mind coming back to school after, but it wasn't much fun."*

- Mark Kaiser



#### GETTING DOWN

*During his turn, Jimbo DePaoli took advantage of the audience and danced across the stage. Jimbo performance met with loud shouts and lots of applause.*

(center)

#### CENTER OF ATTENTION

*Holding onto his hat, Mr. Larry Shrader, assistant principal, sits with the class officers and the valedictorians. Mr. Shrader took turns with Dr. James Mola and Mr. Bud Ballou, assistant principals, reading the names of the graduates as they crossed the stage.*

(left)

# Let's Hear It!



"German Club was very educational. Mr. Rosenbaum made both the class and the club fun." Christopher Tebbens (11)



"It was an honor to be chosen as a student to study in Germany in the summer. I plan on learning a lot while I'm there." Cyril Dufalla (11)



"Latin Club gave me the chance to have fun and hang out with my friends in an educational environment." Lindsey Persinger (11)



## A LITTLE CONVERSATION

While waiting for dinner to be served, Doctor Mola chats with the members of the group visiting from Japan. Several teachers and administrators attended the banquet.

## CHOW TIME

Foreign exchange students from the area select food from the banquet table. The exchange students were allowed first picks at the foreign language banquet.



## GOING FOR GOLD

*Launching a water balloon in the Foreign Language Olympics. Laurie Kyle (10) and Mike Micha (12) hope their partners catch it. Laurie was a member of the Latin Club's team.*

# Foreign Language Clubs

## Students participate in various activities

**T**he five foreign language clubs enlightened many students on the various cultures and traditions of European and Asian countries. The clubs were composed of students who wanted to learn about their foreign languages beyond their language classes. Each club had its own schedule of meetings, activities, and celebrations.

The Latin Club remained busy throughout the year. Its agenda included holiday parties, dances, pizza parties, bowling parties, a Roman Banquet, and the National Latin exam. During Indiana Latin Week, it participated in the annual State Latin Convention at Valparaiso University where its fourth year quiz team placed second in the state. At the convention held in Bloomington, all four teams advanced to finals, and the Novice team captured honors as state champions. "I'd have to say the best part of the convention was meeting new people," said Stacy Jovanoski (10).

The highlight of the French Club's activities was their trip to Chicago to see *The Phantom of the Opera*. In December, they paid a visit to the nursing home to sing Christmas carols to the residents. The club also celebrated the Feast of the Three Kings in January and Mardi Gras in February. Meghan Gowland was selected among the top sixty French students in Indiana to study in France over the summer.

The German Club was also proud to have two students accomplish a similar goal. Rick Friedman (11) and Cyril Duffala (11), both juniors, proved to be among the top thirty German students in the state. They were selected to spend the summer in Krefeld, Germany. "I was ecstatic when I found out I made it. I'm really looking forward to my upcoming trip," said Rick. -(continued)

*"I attended the Foreign Language Banquet during Foreign Language Week. I felt that the banquet was definitely the best part of the entire week. Members of the foreign language clubs and the foreign exchange students from all the schools in the area attended. Towards the end of the banquet, all the exchange students were asked to come the front of the cafeteria. They were each handed a kazoo and instructed to play their national anthems on them. Hearing them attempting to play their anthems on those kazoos was hilarious." - Nicholas Dimos (9)*

## A RESPECTABLE SECOND

*Mrs. Bangsberg awards Ryan Morfin (12), a member of the Spanish team, a medal for his second place finish in the pie eating contest. The Spanish team finished second over all.*

# Let's Hear It!



*"In Latin Club, I particularly liked being able to hang out with friends after school. The parties were cool too," Jeff Daseler (11)*



*"The Foreign Language Banquet gave us the chance to talk with the foreign exchange students visiting the country. It was really interesting to hear what they had to say," Brian Retson (10)*



*"Spanish club allowed me to be involved with a group that focused on the traditions and cultures of a foreign country. It was fun and educational," Nicholas Dimos (9)*

## A DAY IN CHICAGO

*Standing outside the Auditorium Theater in Chicago, Emily Dewes (11) and Allison Horst (12) wait to see The Phantom of the Opera. The French Club saw the show in April.*

## BON APPETIT

*Enjoying their meals, Renee Ulmann, Sara Zic, and Kate Essex (11) chat over dinner. The three were members of the German Club.*







## FELIZ NAVIDAD

*Getting in the spirit of things, Beth Sabato, Amy Unwin, and Marisa Wheeler sing Christmas carols with the Spanish Club at their holiday party.*

# Foreign Language Clubs

## Activities, events highlight learning

The Spanish Club learned about the Spanish culture by becoming a part of it. One of their activities was the breaking of a pinata. They also sang Spanish Christmas carols during the Christmas season. Foreign exchange students from Spain met with the Spanish Club and spoke to them about their country. Also, sharing food from Spanish countries brought much enjoyment to the club.

In addition, twenty Japanese students visited the high school in the spring. Several foreign language students hosted them during their visit. The visiting students were able to experience foreign language week and attend the banquet.

From March 16 to March 20, all of the clubs united to celebrate Foreign Language Week. The week was filled with activities to expose the students to the traditions, and other factual information about foreign countries. Foreign exchange students from the area schools came to talk to students about their home countries. The clubs went to battle during the quiz bowl to see who knew the most about world facts. The first year Latin Club took victory after the final showdown against the third year German Club. "Winning the quiz bowl was quite an honor, especially since we were only a first year class," said Robby Schrum (9), a member of the Latin quiz bowl team. The Foreign Language Olympics questioned the physical ability of club members. Some events included the pie eating contest, water balloon toss, and Bozo buckets. The Latin Club finished in third. The Spanish Club came in with a respectable second. However, the German Club remained victorious in the end.- Danielle Barenie

"In December, the fourth year German class went on a field trip to Chicago to see the ballet *The Nutcracker Suite* at McCormick Place. However, there was a mistake and there weren't enough buses to take us to Chicago. So we ended up taking buses to the train station in East Chicago and then the train to Chicago. The ballet itself was good. It was afterwards that made us so miserable. Since there were no buses to take us back, we were all forced to walk from McCormick place all the way to the train station. It was freezing outside. The truth is we were all pretty angry because none of us agreed to walk all that way in the first place." - Beth Jensen (12)

## FUN AND FESTIVITIES

*Taking her turn to swing at the pinata, Jesalyn Dixon (12) is spun by Sheila Eriks (12). The pinata was one of many cultural activities in which the Spanish Club participated.*

# Let's Hear It!



"Choir gave me the chance to do what I loved and to be with people I could really relate to." Paul Fleming (10)



"Choir has been a great part of high school. It has allowed me to be with several of my friends and express myself through music." Deanna Likens (9)



"One of my favorite activities throughout my high school career has been choir. Singing with a group that was so close to each other was a wonderful experience." Virginia Anello (12)

## DECISIONS, DECISIONS

*Hoping that Annie, played by Brittany Brumbaugh (10) will choose him instead of the peddler, Will, played by Jason White (11) sweet talks her. Oklahoma offered a first leading role for both.*

## PERFECT HARMONY

*Using an old-fashioned sound, Brian Andrews (10), James Potter (11), Kyle Sparrow (10), and Steve Parrish (11) sing in the Barbershop Quartet. The group sang without any accompaniment.*



*Singing to entertain the guests at the publications banquet, Katie Potter (12) performs with accompanist Jen Skidmore (11). They performed the song "As Long as He Needs Me."*

## A Goal Accomplished

Concert choir advances to state

Throughout the year, choir members had several reasons to be proud to be in the choir. The choir wasn't just a class for singing, but many students agreed that it also acted as another family to them. "My favorite part of choir was the friendship shared through the music," said Jason White (11). This strong relationship helped lead the choirs into true success. Producing another successful musical, *Oklahoma*, and traveling to Virginia Beach to compete over Spring Break kept members busy.

However, the highlight came in April when the Concert Choir received superior ratings at the ISSMA district contest held in Rensselaer. This accomplishment was enough for the group to become the first Concert Choir in the history of the high school to advance to the ISSMA state competition on May 2 in Indianapolis. "It was a great honor to go to state, especially since we were the first to go. I was very happy to be there," said Sara Flores (10). Sixteen choirs from around the state attended this competition, and the group ranked eleventh among them. Members were pleased with the outcome. "I thought it was a great honor to represent our school at such a high level," said Cyril Duffala (11).

Mrs. Borodine's direction was an essential part of the Concert Choir's success in Indianapolis. She and the choir put months of practice and work into accomplishing this difficult goal. However, the work paid off, and she too was honored to be a part of this experience. She said, "Our students represented the school in fine style. They were focused, professional, and displayed a joy of singing not seen in many other groups. I was proud to direct them." -Danielle Barenie

"One day during concert choir, all of the girls were singing around the piano. When we finished, Mrs. Borodine said we could sit down. Beth Jessen was kneeling on a stool and Katie Potter had her foot on the rung. When Beth put her foot down she stepped on Katie's foot. So Katie tried to pull her foot away and ended up taking Beth with her. It was just like a cartoon with Beth's legs flying in midair. Then she went flying across the room. Both Beth and Katie were really embarrassed. We all laughed so hard for the rest of the class hour."  
-Amanda Bostian (12)

### DEAR SANTA

*Performing "Santa Claus is Coming to Town" at the Christmas assembly, Kristy Fouch (11) and Kevin Wool (11) sing with the Girls' Show Choir. The Mixed Show Choir also sang at the assembly.*



# Let's Hear It!



"Jazz Band is a lot of fun. Writing solos is very difficult and is the only time I have to practice, but it is also my favorite part of Jazz Band." Andy Weeks (12)



"I enjoy Pep Band because it allows me to have court-side seats, and I don't have to pay to get in. It also gives me a chance to fool around and make my friends laugh." Adam Toering (11)



"Playing the clarinet in concert band was great. We got to play new music often and participate in competitions." Lisa Wheeler (10)



## PROVIDING THE RHYTHM

Preparing to play his guitar with the jazz band, Matt Langel (12) arranges his music on his stand. Matt also played the baritone in concert and symphonic band.

## AWAITING THE SHOW

Keeping the beat, Mike McFadden plays his drum set with the jazz band at the Holiday Assembly. Mike was also the drummer in the band Blind Side.





## SUPPORTING THE TEAM

Performing with the pep band, Nicole Frost (9) keeps herself in the Christmas spirit. The pep band helped cheer the basketball teams on at every home game.

# Royal Regiment, Jazz, Pep, Concert Band

Band more than an hour long class

Being a member of the band, for some students, didn't just mean coming to class every Monday through Friday. In many cases, it meant a year-long commitment.

Several members participated in a variety of band-related extracurricular activities.

A great deal of time and effort accompanied these activities. The Royal Regiment rehearsed every Tuesday and Thursday for three hours a night. They also performed, along with the Flag team, at home football games and participated in a number of Saturday contests. "The rehearsals eventually made some of us frustrated, but the work proved to pay off in the end," said Chris Blow (12). At the regional competition, the group scored the highest they have in years.

The jazz band also had their work cut out for them. After marching season, members had their chance to audition. The students who made the ensemble rehearsed every Tuesday and Thursday after school. They also participated in the Purdue and Indiana State University jazz festivals.

Members of the pep band spent their Friday and Saturday nights boosting the spirit of the fans at the home basketball games. Many of the students participated in the Solo and Ensemble contest in February. "Solo and Ensemble involved a lot practice time. My solo alone took four months to prepare," said Carrie Fercik (12). Some students still managed to handle other extracurricular activities. Vince Arizzi (11) was one of these people. He commented, "I've managed to participate in jazz band and hold a part in this year's musical. It took away most of my free time, but I wouldn't give up the music for anything." -Danielle Barenie

"On the way home from the ISU jazz Festival, we stopped at a small convenience store where we found something called a 'Heater Meal.' The meal consisted of Turkey and mashed potatoes in a sealed plastic container. To heat it up, a pouch of water and a water reacting chemical were included. When the water and chemical mixed, it got hot enough to cook the turkey and potatoes. We were so amused by this that we all put in some money and bought it. When we got back on the bus, we cooked it. The odor it emitted was appalling. Everybody in the jazz band had to taste it. I've never had anything so disgusting in my entire life. I couldn't get the taste out of my mouth for the rest of the night" -Karlisa Guyer (9)

## MAKING MUSIC

Concentrating on their music, Diana Swanson (10) and Aaron Wirtz (10) play their alto saxophones in the concert band. Both were also members of the Royal Regiment.



## Let's Hear It!



"I thought that the orchestra at Crown Point High School was very good. It was an honor to be a member of such a talented group." Beth Yuraitis (10)



"This year it was kind of rough without Mr. Deal. I thought we missed out on some stuff because we had so many subs." Brei Larson (12)



"Orchestra has been more than just playing my violin. It's been a great experience ever since I joined, and I've met some of my best friends. It's just been great for me." Ben Fraley (12)



### A LITTLE NIGHT MUSIC

Members of the string trio, Mike Zunica (10) and Jen Mulholland (11) play their violins at the publications banquet. String groups often played for school related occasions.

### SENIOR HONORS

Lining up on stage, Allyson Bosel, Amanda Bostian, and Megan Carnahan (12), are recognized with other senior members of the orchestra. Each senior also received a balloon.



## FINAL PERFORMANCE

*Carrie Fercik (12) plays her solo on the French Horn at the orchestra Pops concert. This was Carrie's, as well as all senior members', final concert.*

# Musical Groups

## Minor setbacks slow Orchestra's progress

**T**he Symphony Orchestra was forced to travel a rough road throughout the year. But with the dedication of the members of this large group and the determination of their director, Mr. James Deal, they managed to pull through. The group started off well performing another enjoyable Christmas concert. Battling tight rehearsal schedules with the musical among other interfering activities, they managed to prepare and perform a successful tour of the elementary schools.

The orchestra had high expectations of possibly advancing all the way to state competition. However, problems occurred when Mr. Deal was forced to take a six week leave to have an operation. The group was forced to give up their chance at the annual ISSMA contest after spending hours of rehearsal time preparing the music. "It was disappointing to give up ISSMA, but we still had other activities to keep us busy," said Erin Bishop (12).

After talking with Mr. Deal, they decided to play some of their contest music for the All-City Pops concert in May. Besides playing "The Poet and Peasant Overture," one of the pieces intended for the performance at contest, the group played musical highlights from the movie *Titanic*. "We only had two rehearsals together to prepare for the concert. But we pulled through, and it went really well," said Allyson Bosel (12). At the end of the concert, the senior members of the orchestra were recognized. Despite all obstacles, Mr. Deal remained proud of this talented group. He said, "Our orchestra continued to enjoy a reputation of being one of the best around." -Danielle Barenie

"In early March, the orchestra went on our annual tour of the elementary schools to encourage the fourth-graders to join orchestra. We always played popular, exciting music to make the kids think that orchestra was fun. To add to the effect, Mr. Deal wanted to look like a 'fun guy' so he would try to be exciting while he directed. At one point he got a little too excited. While we were performing at Timothy Ball, Mr. Deal was waving his baton around like crazy. It flew out of his hand and sailed into the cello section. I think it even hit Jon Skidmore on the head. We were all laughing so hard that we could hardly finish the song." - Julie Grevis (12)

## PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT

*Performing during the orchestra Pops concert, Ryan Tracy (10) plays his cello. Ryan has been perfecting his skills on the cello for nearly seven years.*



# Let's Hear It!



"It is a privilege to work with so many wonderful people. They bring out the best in me," Steve Parrish (11)



"It was a bone-chilling experience. The whole cast was great." Gregory Sutton (11)



"I loved the whole experience of being on Tech. We worked hard, but we never let a day pass without quite a few moments of laughter." Theresa Boscia (11)



## "I CAN'T HEAR YOU"

Mr. Kimber, played by James Potter (11) tries extravagantly to ignore Annabelle's words of discontent about the house. This was his fourth show at CP.

## KICKIN' IT UP

Jeff Daseler, Tim Riley (11), Jason White and the rest of the Oklahoma chorus dance and sing to "Kansas City." Dancers spent several rehearsing the dance.





## DEVINE INTERVENTION

*Hoping for wonderful things to happen to her, Laurie Williams played by Sara Flores (10) holds the "Elixir of Egypt" in Oklahoma. This was Sara's first leading role.*

# Thespians and Drama

## Students perform both play and musical

**T**he drama club's year ended with thunderous applause as the curtain closed on the final night of *Oklahoma!* Throughout the year, that curtain opened and closed many times. "With the loss of last year's senior class, I was curious to see what this year's pool had to offer. They were great - rookies, veterans - it was a wonderful success," said director Mr. Kit Degenhart.

It all began in December with *George Washington Slept Here*, a comical play involving the Fuller family. They moved from an apartment in the city to an old farmhouse in Pennsylvania. Newton Fuller, played by Steve Parrish (11), and his wife, Annabelle, played by Colleen Chapman (11), disagreed on many parts of their new home; mainly she wasn't too fond of the "no bathroom or running water" area of the home. Other cast members included James Potter (11) as Mr. Kimber, Jessica Pollison (11) as Hester, Brian Connelly (12) as Uncle Stanley, Lauren Griffith (10) as Madge, juniors Laura Burnett, Sara Scherer, Tim Reilly and Jason White as Madge's friends, Cyril Duffala (11) as Raymond, Greg Sutton (11) as Mr. Prescott, Virginia Anello (11) as Ms. Douglas and Vince Arizzi (11) as Steve Eldridge. The cast enjoyed many aspects of the preparation and show nights. "It was a privilege to work with so many wonderful people," said Parrish.

The year continued with the spring musical *Oklahoma!* which ran without a hitch even with the unscheduled winter break. It was a upbeat musical with catchy tunes and multiple plots. It starred Steve Parrish as Curly and Sara Flores (10) as Laurey, along with seniors Brian Connelly, James Abbott, Amanda Bostian, sophomores Cyril Duffala, Vince Arizzi, James Potter, and Brittany Brumbaugh (10). "I thought the show was just amazing! The talent level at this school is incredible. From the cast to the crew, to the pit orchestra - everything was great," said Mr. Degenhart. -- Katherine Weber

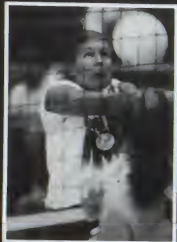
"During the final performance of *George Washington Slept Here*, the sound operator, Nick Sterna (12) inadvertently played a cow's mooing instead of the yellow-breasted barn swallow's chirping sound effect. Fortunately, most of the audience thought it was intentional and simply laughed good-naturedly. However, to this day, he still receives the occasional 'moo' as he walks down the halls." - Mr. Kit Degenhart

### OKLAHOMA!

*Amanda Bostian (12) held a lead as Aunt Eller in the spring musical. Bostian also held leads in Guns and Dolls, How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying, and other productions.*



# Let's Hear It!



"We did a lot of fun activities this year in GVC. Our float was awesome in the homecoming parade." Gail Weillbaker (12)



"It was a great honor to represent our high school, and show that we were proud of our achievements." Dave Sendre (12)



"I was proud to wear the Letterman's jacket of our high school so people knew who I was and where I was from." Kevin Wool (11)



## IT'S SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT

*Waving at the audience, Brian Parker (12) with his parents gets much recognition with being a senior on the football team. He was nominated to become Mr. Football, and won.*

## JUST BETWEEN FRIENDS

*After a basketball game, Matt Magurean (10), John Sum (10), and Adam Trusgnich (12) hang out. Members of the Lettermen Club usually became friends.*



## A TRUSTING NATURE

*As Mr. Iddings falls back from the table, he trusts the members of Fellowship of Christian Athletes to catch him. In FCA the members focused on beliefs, trust, and prayers.*

# Lettermen and GVC

## Playing sports gets students jackets

A good education was part of any student's high school career, but to some students it was not the only important goal. School activities also played a very important role in their lives. Participating in sports, cheerleading, and dance team could be a very memorable achievement in one's teenage years.

"I think that it was a great honor to be part of GVC. I was proud to wear our sportos," said Angela James (11). Having a Letterman's jacket was a souvenir to remember the best years of their lives. To some students getting a jacket was an important goal even before entering high school. "I liked being in GVC. It was something I always wanted to be in," said Melissa Burke (11). With the accomplishments of sports also came the privilege of earning letters to attach to the students jacket. Many of the students were very dedicated to their sports. "It was a great honor to be in Letterman's Club because it took hard work and dedication," said Ryan Rapp (11).

Belonging to these clubs didn't just mean that the student received a jacket; it also meant that they had to participate in fund raisers and banquets. The fund raisers were used to support the organizations and their expenses. "Lettermen's Club was truly a unique organization of athletic skills and expertise," said Mike Anderson (11). The banquets rewarded the members for their achievements for the teams in which they participated. The students also helped with their community. "Lettermen's Club was cool because we got to represent our school in athletics and also around the community," said Jonah Weiss (12). -Jenn Gold

"While painting the windows on the square, one of the Booster Club activities for Homecoming weekend, Sara Nurey and I started a paint battle between the both of us. We covered each other in paint. Mark Smith then came over and took an unexpected picture of us painting each other. When the fun was all over, we had to then go and help make decorations for the dance. It was extremely embarrassing to stay covered in paint for the rest of the day, but it also was entertaining and exciting. The whole fight kept us from having a normal, boring day. It really added to the excitement of spirit week." -Colleen Mayer (11)

## DANCING FOR THE CROWD

Entertaining the crowd during halftime at a basketball game Shannon Korzeniewski (12) demonstrates her hard work and dedication to the dance team. Many members of the dance team were also members of GVC.

# Let's Hear It



"It felt good to do something for people who may not be as fortunate. It was also nice to see so many students pitch in to help with the food drive." Brandy Hartman (11)



"I was a volunteer at the Key Club Halloween party. The kids wore me out, but it was worth the time. I was glad I could help out. Besides, I enjoyed my costume." Brian Simkins (12)



"H.E.R.O is a good class to take because you get out of school early to go to work. At the same time you get to help out your community." Megan Koonce (12)



## A HELPING HAND

Working hard for the food drive, Erin Weber (12) and Heather Wirtz (12) fill boxes with the donated food. "It felt good to help others not as fortunate," said Wirtz.

## PLAYING STACK 'EM

Helping out at the food drive, Warden Hall (12) separates the food. Warden had fun trying to see how many cans he could carry at one time.







#### FACING REALITY

*During their lunch period, Snezana Markovska (11) and Celia Gura (9) study the wrecked car during Red Ribbon Week. The Key Club displayed the car to warn students about driving drunk.*

## H.E.R.O., Key Club, Rotarians, Kiwanians Clubs do their share to help out

**H**E.R.O. (Home Economics Related Occupations), Key Club, Rotarians, and Kiwanians all served to connect the school with the community. H.E.R.O. provided students with the opportunity to experience the work force. In addition, H.E.R.O. students participated in charity drives as well. Around Thanksgiving, they sponsored a food drive, and two clothing drives. During the Christmas season, they sponsored the angel tree. "The angel tree project was a great success. It gave me great satisfaction to know that I helped someone in need," said Samantha Carrell (12).

Any student could join Key Club. It was set up as a community service group. "Key Club did a lot for the community. One thing we did was we worked on the restoration of the Sheriff's house. It was a really great way for us to contribute to CrownPoint's history," said Stevie Greco (11). "Key Club was a great club where you had a chance to help the community, and you got to meet a lot of new people at the same time. Key Club is also an international organization," said Jenny Frazier (12).

A boy and a girl represented their respective group or club each month as a Rotarian. On one Wednesday a month, Rotarians ate lunch at the Youche Country club with community members. On the last Wednesday of each month, each Rotarian rendered a speech about themselves.

Kiwanians, like Rotarians were chosen each month for the activities in which they participated. Meeting every Wednesday night of the month in St. Anthony's Cafeteria, they shared with other Kiwanians more about themselves and their lives.

*I'm a junior Rotarian. I got to go to a special luncheon every Wednesday for the month of November. I got to leave during fifth hour. We went to Youche Country Club to eat lunch and talk. Well, one time, it took forever to get our food. I hadn't had breakfast yet and was starving. So when the food came, I practically attacked it. I started eating so fast I spilled my pop all over me. It wasn't so bad, except everyone was quiet and heard me scream. After being the center of attention, I got up to try to fix myself. They didn't have a hair dryer, so I had to sit and listen to the Rotarians talk about stuff, while I had on wet pants.*

- Andrea Claussen (12)

#### ALMOST THERE

*During the clothing drive, Amiee Heidbreder (12) places a donated coat in the car. The clothing drive was set up by H.E.R.O. to help the community.*

# Let's Hear It!



"One day during class I thought I'd learn a little more about the femi-nazis in publications. I'm sorry I did. I explained how all women lack communication skills and men pay the price. All the women in the class, including Ms. O, jumped in and verbally violated my manhood." -Anthony Stevenson (12)



"In newspaper, Mrs. Overbeeke has helped me to greatly improve my writing skills. This is the class that I look forward to everyday. We have more freedom than any other class, but more responsibility too." -Carolyn Taylor (11)



"I've learned a lot of tolerance for others being on the newspaper staff. I've had many great experiences and a lot of laughs. For example, everyday after class, Brian Connelly and I dance. We've had so much fun this year in sixth hour. I leave laughing almost every day." -Stevie Greco (11)

## CANDLE OF TRUTH

Assistant newspaper editor Katherine Weber (12) inducts the new members of Quill and Scroll. Katherine served as secretary for the group.

## THE FINAL TASK

Holding the finalized literary magazine, Windfall staff members Justin Whitesell (9) and Nicole Luebke (9) sell a copy to Nathan Goodall in the cafeteria. The staff worked all year to collect student work for the book. (center)



## IT'S SO HARD TO SAY GOODBYE

Kristen Henderlong (12), "Inklings" design editor, gives closing remarks at the journalism banquet. Kristen planned to study journalism at Franklin College.

# Inklings, Quill & Scroll, Windfall

## Students discover power of pen prevails

Whether a staff member of the *Inklings*, *Windfall*, or an officer of *Quill and Scroll*, students who enjoyed writing found an outlet for their talents.

The newspaper students started the year by attending a convention in Franklin, IN. On the way home, the staff decided to totally revamp the paper. "We needed to get our readership up so the staff decided to increase the size of the paper to 16 pages," said Mrs. Rhonda Overbeeke, Advisor.

Revamping the paper had its pluses according to the staff. "We won a first place from American Press, individual writers won awards at J-day and from Northwest Indiana Communicators. Also, we won an 'Excellent Plus' rating in the Hoosier Star critique, a gold medal from the National High School Press and third place out of 39 schools in the *Times* 'Best High School Newspaper' competition," said Katherine Weber, assistant editor.

Melanie Marshall, editor-in-chief, said awards were not the only rewards she received from being on the staff. She said, "When I was younger, I never thought one class would change my life. Now I know I was wrong. I learned so much, but I gained something beside knowledge... I gained a second family."

*Windfall* magazine staff members spent the year collecting the creative works of writers and artists. "The staff this year did a great job and the magazine turned out well. We sold a lot of copies," said Mr. Chad Bush, sponsor. The staff uses the English and art departments to recruit materials. "The magazine is important, and we hope to improve it and increase student interest," Mr. Bush added. -Megan Hite

"One day in Newspaper Julia Hamilton and I were angry with Brian Connolly so we snuck downstairs and drew all over his car with marker. Then we came upstairs to discover Brian had been at McDonalds the whole time. It ended up being Mr. Degenhart's car we vandalized. We began crying quite loudly, then ran downstairs to clean up our mess. Scrubbing with spit and tissues, we made the car look good as new. He never even noticed the mess." -Megan Hite (10)

## TAKING IT IN STRIDE

On her way to the student center at Ball State Journalism Day, Melanie Marshall (12) walks past the Bennie Statute on campus. Melanie was the Editor-in-Chief of the newspaper and president of *Quill and Scroll*. (left)



# Let's Hear It!



"Yearbook was a very interesting learning experience. Mrs. Overbeeke, the yearbook advisor, helped me to greatly improve my writing technique." -Steve Idalski (12)  
"After two years on staff, the other members become like family...especially Andy Kirk." Justin Schutz (12)



"If I had a dime for every time I wanted to break that character generator in Media class, I'd be rich. However, the Mass Media class was the most fun class and it brought a good end to my senior year." Jimbo DePaoli (12)



"I first got interested in yearbook my sophomore year when Mrs. Overbeeke asked me to join. I'm glad I did. I learned a lot of things including how to be responsible, get along with others, and of course, how to do a page." Andy Kirk (12)



## FIGHTING THE CROWDS

Editor-in-chief Melanie McGoldrick (12) and advertising editor, Jenni Pelton (12) attend a journalism conference in St. Louis. Jenni was also an anchor/reporter on "Showtime."

## HURRY UP AND WAIT

At Planet Hollywood in St. Louis, Jacqui Thompson (11), and seniors Danielle Barenie, Kelly Gramenz and Melanie Marshall take a break from the convention to eat lunch.





## LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION

On camera, Kevin Wool (11), presents his sports segment for the weekly student produced news show, "Showtime" aired every Tuesday at 8:30 P.M.

# Excalibur and Showtime

## Yearbook, Media adopt journalistic roles

Students who produced the yearbook and the local school television show found that stress was a large part of producing anything.

CPHS Showtime aired every Tuesday evening. Using television to express their creative side, Mass Media students brought school news and sports to community members. "Mass Media is probably the best thing I've done in high school. It has helped me to decide what I want to do after high school. Maybe one day you'll see me on NBC," said Sarah Rose (12). With the help of Mrs. Carol Wilson and Mr. George Tachtaris, CPHS Showtime advisors, students used teamwork to write, produce, and tape the weekly show.

"Striving to make each yearbook more vivid than the years before, the Excalibur staff attended many seminars and conferences throughout the country. In October the students traveled to Franklin College where the Indiana High School Press Association presented the staff with three Harvey awards. In November, several editors traveled to St. Louis, Missouri for the National Press Association (NSPA)

Convention. While there, the 1997 book won 7th place in the 'Best of Show' category. "I was very excited that we were recognized on a national level," said section editor Kelly Gramenz (12). Students also won a gold medal from NSPA. The next stop for underclassmen was the Ball State's Journalism Day in April. Students attended workshops at all three conventions.

Looking back on three years on the staff, editor-in-chief Melanie McGoldrick (12) said, "I plan on majoring in journalism at I.U., so yearbook has helped me with the writing and computer skills I'll need, and also it has taught me a lot about designing layouts and the importance of meeting deadlines." -Jacqui Thompson

Our funniest show was definitely the one we did in February. Chris Blow and I were trying to record segways for the show. Mrs. Wilson was the floor Manager, and Jim Seath and Jimbo Depauloli were trying to do the segways. We couldn't get anything right that week. Jimbo and Jim kept stuttering and couldn't finish the segs. Mrs. Wilson was trying to keep control by telling us we had to get this done. Jimbo couldn't stop laughing and Jim Seath's face turned a bright red color. Mrs. Wilson was crying from laughing so hard. We eventually ran out of tape, but before we finished taping somehow we managed to put the show on that night. -Al Dante (11)

## PREPARING A SCRIPT

As an outgoing senior, Jen Scheafer takes on the responsibility of interviewing students for "CPHS Showtime." Jen was in the advanced class and her main responsibility was to interview Mr. James Hardman, principal, every other week.

# Let's Hear It!



"It was fun to help out Meals on Wheels. Even though we had to wear hair nets it felt good helping out, and I enjoyed doing it. I wish more students would take a little time out of their busy schedules to help the community." Charles Asher (12)



"Being in Honor Society was a great experience. I loved being able to give back to the community and knowing my co-members helped someone made me proud." Jaime Shebish (12)



"Being in Biology Club is a good experience. Dissecting is fun and it helps me identify the body parts I don't know. The only bad part is the disgusting smell." Sofiya Paarlberg (12)



## PREPARING FOR VICTORY

Practicing for the big Super Bowl competition, Rachel Kubacki (9) sits with her Academic team members during a study session. Rachel also worked on the set crew for the musical.

## BUSY WORK

Helping with Honor Society inductions, Martalyce Klaker (12) checks off the names of candidates. The induction took place in April.





#### ENJOYING THE SUNSHINE

*After school, Shannon Lowery (12) studies with the Academic team. The team preferred working outside when the weather was nice.*

## Honor Society, Academic Team, Biology, Math Academics provides clubs for all

**A**cademically speaking, there were clubs for all aspects of school. Math Club, Biology Club, National Honors Society, and the Academic Team all consisted of students and their high academic skills. The Academic Team was a combination of many events including Superbowl, Quizbowl, Academic Decathlon, and Spellbowl. Meghan Gowland (11) an active member of the team said, "We met once a week. You had to be dedicated to what you were doing and needed to put a lot of time into it."

Those who enjoyed math and working out problems found the Math Club interesting. Students met approximately once a month and took a five question test. The top five scores were entered with the top scores of other schools. These scores ranked our school with other schools in the state.

Having good grades and special talent helped some students become active members in the National Honor Society. In this club, students helped in doing several community service activities. The National Honor Society also sponsored dances that were held after the basketball games. The club met once a month under the supervision of Mr. Jeremy Walker.

All in all, various clubs helped students become involved and brought new interests into some students lives. Whether it's math, science, history, or grammar, students could find a club which fit to their liking. Being in a club helped students meet new people and show off their academic talents. "Being involved in the National Honor Society was a great honor. I enjoyed the various activities and helping out the community made me feel proud of myself," said Jennifer Sanders (12). --Mandy Springman

"We were replacing the quotes in the social studies hall way. Well, when we took them down we were in for a big surprise. Some of the letters were stuck to the wall because the school had gotten humid enough to cause the glue on the back of them to become sticky. Anything that wasn't stuck to the wall just flaked right off. What's more is the letters were there for so long that the rest of the wallpaper faded in color, but the wallpaper behind the letters stayed its original color. It was kind of funny to be able to still read the quotes that were there even after the letters were taken down." Carrie Ceretk (12)

#### TOO NICE OUTSIDE TO STUDY

*Academic Team members, Brittany Kubacki, David Root, Stacy Jovanoski, Ms. Dana Henderson, sponsor, practice outside on the bleachers on the first spring day. The team placed in four out of six events at the Hoosier Super Bowl.*



# Let's Hear It!



"I think this class (PAR) helped me out a lot with my grades. Mrs. Lange is a really great teacher. She has a positive influence on us by making us believe we can do well in school." Sase Joveski (9)



"Being a member of the Web club, you get a chance to sit down with a group with similar interests and be creative without getting made fun of. It's fun because we create homepages for CPCSC." Nick Linden (12).



"Peer Resource is an alternative to a regular class. We help to motivate younger students to earn better grades on their report cards." David Reed (11)

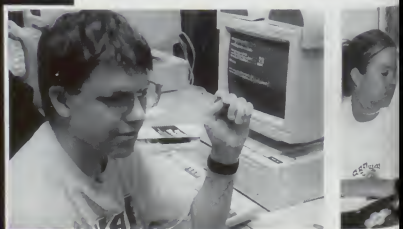


## WALKING IN THE WEBS

*Creating new homepages, Dan Bouwer (12) inputs his ideas for a better page for the web site. Dan was an aide for Mr. Neindorf, where he worked on the pages*

## STUDY TIME

*Working on their assignments, Kelly Riordan (9) and Sarah Remes (12) work hard on an assignment. PAR has helped many accomplish their goal of excellence.*





## LENDING A HELPING HAND

Katie Smock (11) and Jessica Friance (9) work together on an assignment. The two worked regularly together on homework during the 7th hour class period.

# Peer as Resource and Web Clubs provide service to students

Students served the student body in many ways. The Peer as Resource (PAR) group served as tutors to underclassmen and the Web club created an informative Web page.

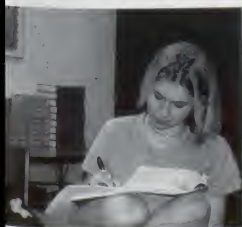
Taking part in PAR, students found ways to express their helping and caring abilities. Serving as role models for the whole student body, they assisted students with homework and self-esteem issues. "Being a member, I helped better the community as well as the school community," said Micah Smith (11). "The feeling of making kids feel as though they can accomplish anything was what PAR was all about." PAR also provided opportunities for students to understand their peers and develop social skills. "The warm feeling of making others smile because of the support I provided for them was the best benefit of being a member," said Ryan Angerman (11). In addition, PAR took a major role in organizing the Random Acts of Kindness Week. "The greatest benefit was knowing you were making some kind of difference," said Nicole Dwan. (11)

Surfing the Web, Kyle Springman (10) said, "It's exciting having the power to change the appearance of our school by making improvements with computers." The Web Club created several homepages. These students also learned about HTML, Markup language, and Java. Nick Linden (12) said, "I liked to create homepages because we could choose what we wanted it to say and how it would appear." Holding meetings after school, or spending extra time in the IBM lab, the group increased their computer abilities according to Linden. --Magan Le Neave

"In Peer Resource, we had to paint the Women's teacher's lounge. Molly and I got into a minor paint fight. It began very innocently and in good humor, but Molly got a little rough. I had to get away from her so I ran into the hallway. Then she chased me with a paint roller and swung it to paint me. I was lucky that she missed me; however, paint splattered all over the hallway. Yea, I guess that's how the story goes. I would have to admit that I lost. Being a good friend, I got on my hands and knees to scrub up the paint before it dried. Being the great friend that Molly is, she stood there and watched me scrub away." -Justin Smith (11)

## LET'S TALK ABOUT NET

Mrs. Julie Woodburn, librarian, chats about sites on the Internet with Mindy Kazora (10) and Jessica Burke (10). The web club was a source for the teachers and students to find new information for computer classes.



# Let's Hear It!



"Going to and participating in Boys' State is something that I will never forget and will encourage people to go to. It was one of the most fun weeks in my high school career." Josh Swanson (12)



"Student Council is a great organization which helps the school out immensely. The Council does many things for the school which they are not credited for." Micah Smith (11)



"Boys' and Girls' State allowed me to be in a real life political situation. I learned more that week than I did the whole semester in government class." Tony Barringer (12)

## DECK THE HALLS

Working on putting together the bottom of the tree, Lindsay Clochina (10), and Monica Heulat (12) prepared to undergo the task. Decorating at Christmas was a student council tradition.

## PROUD MEMBERS

Serving as a welcoming committee for student council members from Boone Grove, Ryan Morfin (12), Melissa Mariola (9), and Courtney Warren (9) greet students at the door.



## KEEPING THE SPIRIT

*Assembling the Christmas tree in the cafeteria, Bethany Chandler (12) shows her spirit during the holidays. Student Council decorated the school for the winter holidays.*

# Student Council, Boys' and Girls' State

## Students accept leadership roles

**S**pending their time for the benefit of the student body was what being a student council member was all about according to Jeremy Williams (10). "I enjoyed student council because it gave me an opportunity to help out," said Jeremy.

At the end of every school year, the student body had the opportunity to elect members for student government for the next year. These students then spent time serving as a liaison between students and administrators. "I like it a lot. We have fun at the meetings. It gives us a chance to express our concerns about important issues," said Nicole Makarek (11).

To most of the members being a part of the committee was a great privilege. "I think that being on student council has been a great learning experience. I recommend to the incoming freshmen to try it," said Erica Krick (9). Many members of the committee planned to be part of student council all four years of their high school career.

If one was a member of the student council then they had to prepare to participate in many activities including student council conventions, exchanges with other schools, spring raffles, meeting with the administration, and the annual blood drive. In addition, members helped eighth graders each spring during orientation providing a tour of the high school, and during the graduation ceremonies, they passed out programs. Also, at open house, student council members served as guides to parents and other visitors. No matter the circumstances, student council was there to make the school a better place. -Jenn Gold

**"W**hile coming home from Student Council Representative Assembly, our nervous Advisor, Mrs. Vance, was driving cautiously. She was nervous driving a van full of her students. Out of nowhere, some farm kid hit our van with his station wagon and then ran over a fire hydrant. This small town was without water for hours and the streets were flooded. There we were, stranded in the middle of nowhere, wet, and making fun of Mrs. Vance. We waited for hours because of the accident. It was a long way home and what was worse, we were soaking wet. Since then, Mrs. Vance is reluctant to drive vans. Coincidence, I think not." - Ryan Morphin (12)

## SAVING LIVES

*Examining her friend's finger Jennifer Stiak (12) and Jennifer Schafer (12) participate in the school blood drive. Many juniors and seniors took part in saving other's lives.*



*I have enjoyed this class very much and it was a great learning experience. I had fun with making all the projects for the class.*  
-Dan Babic (12)

*Good auto shop because it gave me the time I needed to work on my car."*  
-Bob Mullhern (11)



## Tech Classes Pave the Way

Tech classes provided the students with many opportunities. Students received firsthand knowledge of specific trades.

During welding class students welded together desks, chairs, stands, and a variety of metal objects. Grades in this class came from 60% actual welding and 40% written tests. Students thought the class was beneficial since the skills would help them in the future. Brian Trapp (11) said, "I have always been interested in welding because my dad is a machinist. I hope to later pursue a career in the same field."

Woods and Advanced Woods offered those interested in building and constructing as a creative outlet. Students made wooden treasure chests, bread boxes, shelves, and more. Grades were based on neatness, workbook assignments, and tests. Brian Dwyer (9) said "I like working with tools. I might take wood working up as a hobby."

Auto shop provided the basics for mechanics. It taught students everything from changing a flat tire to rebuilding an engine. "I took auto shop so I will never have to worry about paying money to fix the little things that could go wrong with my vehicle, which I could fix on my own," said Ryan Nolan (12). Other students took auto shop to get a head start on a future career as an automobile technician.

Tech Drawing and Auto Cad gave students the opportunity to familiarize themselves with computer programs used in architecture and drafting and at the same time plan their future dream house. Residential Wiring helped students whether they planned to become electricians or merely fix appliances of their own. -- Steve Idalski

### What's Your Story?

*During auto shop I was changing the oil in my car, and when you change the oil it goes into a pan. Well, it just so happens that one of my classmates was walking by and I thought it would be funny to see him step in it. So I pushed the pan out into his way. He stepped in the pan and got oil all over his jeans. He made one of the funniest expressions I have ever seen. I just slid under my car so he would not see me, and I watched the whole thing.*  
-Mike Avery (12)

### CHANGING IT UP

*During a free day, Josh Swanson (12) changes the shocks on his truck. Auto shop provided students with the proper tools in which to work.*







#### **POSITIONING A DESIGN**

*Elizabeth Wiltshire (12) measures to find the perfect positioning to place her line. She enjoyed drawing projects to a perspective and detailed image. (left)*

#### **UP FOR GRABS**

*With the car on a hydraulic lift, Mike Estes (12) replaces a tire. Students often took auto shop to learn the basic skills for fixing a car. (below)*



#### **FINISHING IT UP**

*Adding the finishing touches. Michelle Carlson (11) places the pointer on the space where she wants to draw a line. "I liked drawing on the computers better than free hand because it was both easier an less time consuming." (center)*

#### **TEACHING A STUDENT**

*Assisting a student, Mr. Belei shows Justin Angelinie (11) and Chris Martin (11) how to fix his window crank. Mr. Belei was there to assist students with hands on training. (left)*

### A DIFFERENT WORLD

*In St. Louis, Missouri at the Adam's Mark Hotel, seniors Justin Schutz and Melanie McGoldrick read through the convention program. Twelve students attended the National Journalism Convention.*

### TASTE TEST

*After returning from the grocery store, Jessica Barnhill (11), Sarah Ford (12), and Cassie Elder (11) taste their creations. Towards the end of the semester students had to make an entire guest meal. (below)*

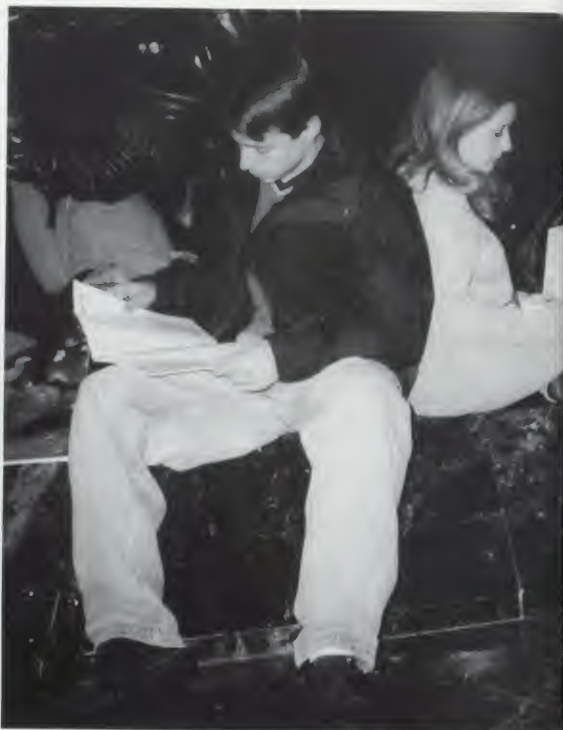


### UNDER THE HOOD

*Auto shop classes had a professional visitor to lecture about anything under the hood. Many classes included field trips that were stationed in the school.*

### A WORK OF ART

*While visiting the Art Institute in Chicago, seniors Anthony Zunica and Natalie Moorehead visit with the Impressionists. A total of four art classes visited the museum. (center)*





*In beginning foods class we went to the grocery store. We learned to budget our money and buy enough food for a meal."*  
-Catrina Witt (11)



*Both of the field trips that I went on this year were for Japanese class. They were nice breaks from the regular school days."* -Kimiko Ostragovich (9)

## Students Move Outside the Classroom

Students would rather go on field trips than sit in their classrooms for the duration of the day. Trips got the students away from the long lectures and taught them in a more unique way.

The world literature students, in conjunction with reading *The Nibelungenlied*, visited the Medieval Times dinner theatre. Students experienced jousting, knights on horseback, and eating without silverware. Publications students went to Franklin College, St. Louis, Missouri, and to Ball State University for various conventions.

In addition, foreign language classes took students off the grounds and to a unfamiliar atmosphere. For example, the French Club went to go see the famous *Phantom of the Opera*. "The music was great. We all had a great time," said Emily Dewes (10).

In fitness and nutrition class, the participants rode their bikes 25 to 30 miles through

Navy Pier. "It was really fun going through Navy Pier," said Tim Reiley (11). Some students considered this a great way to enjoy nature. "The field trip in fitness and nutrition class was awesome. The weather was beautiful and it was a lot of fun," said Jennifer Stiak (12).

The beginning foods classes took a field trip to the grocery store. They had a maximum of twenty dollars to spend to prepare for their guest meal.

Several other classes attended field trips. Some visited far away places through Vision Athena's satellite program. No matter what

class, field trips served as a substitute for the lectures and classwork.  
-Jenn Gold

### What's Your Story?

"In December, all of the world literature classes went on a field trip to Medieval Times. They served you a full meal there that you had to eat with your hands. Heather Wirtz was ripping apart a chicken breast. As she accomplished this her hand slipped. The chicken breast flew, hit me in the face, then landed on my white flannel shirt, and stained it. It definitely was a good thing that I wore a shirt underneath my flannel."

--Jennifer Kruitt (12)



### STAYING FIT

Fitness and nutrition students take a break while participating in a bike ride. They had to travel between 25 and 30 miles around Navy Pier in Chicago.

*"I chose to be a library aid because you can't sleep in a study hall!" --Grayson Fenwick (10)*

*"My sister said that Keyboarding was a fun class to take and it was a good thing to learn so I took the class. It helped in other classes when we went to the computer lab. --Shelly Darschuck (10)*



## Computers prepare students

With the start of the new school year, Internet classes became a big hit. In this class students covered projects from planning a virtual International trip, to scavenger hunts. Mr. Chuck Smoljan said, "I wanted to teach this class because it was something new and challenging. I wanted to be on the cutting edge of the latest technology." Through the Internet, students had access to just about anything. Since the internet was uncensored and explicit, the school made it mandatory to have a user policy form filled out and signed by both the student and parents.

Students were able to use the net to look up school assignments or even look up entertainment pages for upcoming concert information. Karla Condrion (12) said, "Being in the Internet class helped me research many of my Senior English projects." Also, the Web Club created a school web page and the library's computer

lab went on-line in October.

Another computer class included keyboarding. Unlike the newly adopted Internet class, it had been around for awhile. The class prepared students for the future in typing faster with fewer mistakes. Students partook in a variety of timed writing exercises once a day to increase their typing speed. By the end of a six weeks, they were required to turn in three of the timed writing exercises of their choice for a grade. Rod Dukleski (12) said, "Taking Keyboarding class was very helpful in the long run. I used these skills that I acquired from this class

to write my papers a lot faster for other classes." - Steve Idalski

### What's Your Story?

"My friends and I were on our way to a concert in Villa Park. We didn't know how to get there, so we got our directions off the Internet. It was supposed to take one hour. We weren't even out of Indiana yet, and we were already an hour into our trip. As it turned out, the highway we were supposed to turn off onto didn't even intersect with the street we were on. We ended up being on the road for three hours and missed one hour of the concert."

--Eric Shoemaker (12)

### WORKING TOGETHER

Looking over their assignment, Steve Rosenquist (11) and Rhiannon Hubinger (11), share a laugh. Students were often assigned group projects.





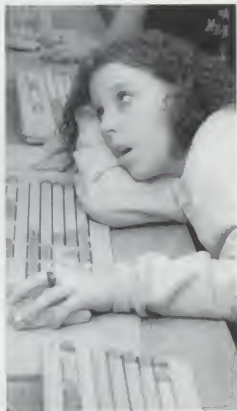


#### **EASY AS A BEE**

Following her instruction sheet, Julie Lyskava (11), adds the finishing touches to her graphics assignment. Students received a packet of assignments each six weeks and worked at their own pace to complete them. (left)

#### **IN A DAVOREAM**

Resting her head on her arm, Kristy Fouch (11), scans through a design in her graphics class. "I took this class to take my mind off of required classes, such as math and English, and had lots of fun."



#### **CAUGHT IN A WEB**

Jenni Pelton (12) works in the graphics room on her project. "I took Graphics to help me widen my knowledge of computers and photography. We did a lot of interesting projects" (center)



#### **RECEIVING NEEDED HELP**

Unaware of how to do his technical drawing assignment, Robert Chapela (12) gets help from Mr. Bradshaw. It was Mr. Bradshaw's first year at the high school.

### WHAT DID YOU PUT?

Juniors Molly Oesterle and Colleen Mayer fill out worksheets at the Career Fair. After looking at exhibits, most students were required to fill out worksheets for their social studies classes.

### TRYING TO GET IT FINISHED

Maryalyce Klaker (12) fills out a worksheet for Mr. Kowalski's 4th hour government class. Maryalyce planned to go to St. Mary's college to study psychology after graduation.



### YO QUIERO TRABAJO!

Drawing attention to students, the famous "Chihuahua" creates many new job ideas for students. Dr. Kelly showed students what it takes to be a veterinarian.

### POSSIBLE POLICE WOMEN

Checking out police work: Roxanne Roman (11) and Krystal Krumwiede (11) listen carefully to the well-equipped state policemen. Both the state police and the local police participated.





Being a representative for the job fair was a worthwhile experience to recruit future hotel managers. -Donna Wimmer, (Radisson Representative)



The police car was very nice, but a state trooper pulled me over a little while later; therefore, I'm not too fond of police work anymore. -Christopher Martin (11)

## Job Fair Provides Information

For the first time, a job fair was created to provide students with new ideas for their future. Representatives from a sprinkling of careers set up information booths in the auxiliary gym. Students could explore careers anywhere from cosmetology to steelworking, manufacturing to professional writing, and hotel management to the military.

Representatives waited for students to learn about what they had to offer. From the veteran stand to the aviation stand, students were informed of the requirements for a particular career. Matt Steiger said, "In aviation, you must have 20/20 vision!"

The fair was a way for the students to gain insight from those really involved in a certain career. Some students were influenced and some were not. Kristen Callison said, "The career I'm interested in wasn't there; however, there were still some interesting careers." Students explored many areas; however, some

were not available for students to look into. "It's a great idea, but they need to have more of a variety of jobs that everyone can be interested in," said Nicole Makarek.

Students received many souvenirs from the representatives. They were given suckers, frisbees, and the all time popular "official policemen" sticker. Students sported these to show appreciation towards police work. The police car was a popular attraction as well as the Chihuahua that caught many students attention. "I think the job fair was a good idea because many of us are trying to figure out what to do with ourselves," said Brian Connelly (12).

-Magan Le Neave

### What's Your Story?

During the Job Fair, our class had to fill out worksheets of jobs we had an interest in. I found that being a policeman wasn't so bad because you could get an AWESOME car. We were outside listening to the cop explain the career to us. I still had to fill out my worksheets, but I had no where to write. Not really thinking, I put my papers on the shiny new Camaro. The cop explaining to us stopped, mid-sentence, to yell at me. I felt bad because I didn't think. -Zachary Weeks (11)

### PILES OF PAPER WORK

Amber Hillegonds (11) and Natalie Barenie (11) collect the abundant amount of papers from the representatives. The two were checking out nursing.



*"I'm glad that I took honors classes in high school. I enjoyed the challenge and I also had a lot of fun." - Bethany Chandler (12)*

*"Honors Classes force me to work. Without the challenging subject matter and the advanced thinking, school would be a bore." - Isaiah Sumner (10)*



## Honors Classes Challenge Students

Honors Classes were for the students who liked the challenge, or who found the normal curriculum too simple. These classes included Honors English, Senior English, Honors U.S. History, Honors Biology, Honors Chemistry and Honors Math classes.

The students had to complete previous classes with a preferable 3.0 to attend honors classes. Students may have participated in these classes if they thought they could handle a challenging class. "I had to study more because the teachers moved through the material quickly. I hated to miss a day of class because of the amount of work that I had to make up when I came back," said Lindsey Motkowicz (12).

Many students took honors classes to prepare for college. "I liked to work on a higher level. I felt it helped prepare for the higher level college work," said Steve Shaffer (12). In these classes the students had to study more, and

concentrate harder. "We had many challenging tests and essays. The projects were involved, but fun," said Sarah Ferraro (11). Even though the student might not have been used to lower than an 'A' or a 'B', they were rewarded with knowledge. Others thought the grade system wasn't fair to the participants of honors classes. "I thought we should of had weighted grades for those in honors classes," said Beth Jensen (12).

During the end of the year the students had to decide whether or not they wanted to participate in the advanced placement testing. These tests acknowledged their achievements in their classes, and if they scored a 3, 4, or a 5 then they were rewarded with college credit. -Jenn Gold

### What's Your Story?

"While we were at the art museum for a Senior English field trip, some of us decided to check out the modern art. One of the exhibits we saw was a set of televisions in different sizes. We realized we were looking at the different body parts of a man. But there was one little T.V. that we couldn't figure out. We looked again and suddenly realized what it was. We quickly left the room." Janine Cooper (12)

### FREEDOM OF SPEECH

Speaking in front of her honors English class, Ellen Kleivickas (10) learns the advanced way to write. Honors English classes read many classic novels. (left)







### **MEDIEVAL TIMES**

Seniors Ryan Morfin and Nick Tournis joust with each other in a play during their senior English project. Jarrett Babinsca and Josh Swanson were also part of the play. (left)

### **HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS**

Cleaning off his experiment's instruments, Ed Sinchai (11) takes part in a lab during his AP Chemistry class. The students participated in many labs and experiments.



### **GOGGLES REQUIRED**

Students in Honors Chemistry learn about more advanced combinations and labs by doing an experiment. In chemistry classes much of the students class was participating in activities.



### **LISTEN UP**

Concentrating in her Honors English 3 and 4, Kelly Lemon (10) reads an magazine clipping for an activity. In honors classes the students had many frustrating projects in which to take part. (left)

### GETTING ASSISTANCE

Mr. Chad Bush talks to Leslie Huelat (10) in the library about her assignment. Mr. Bush often spent his planning period in the library helping students.

### RECEIVING INSTRUCTION

Nick Sterna (12) looks to Mr. Sacksteder for assistance. There was always an aide or teacher in the library to help with computer problems.

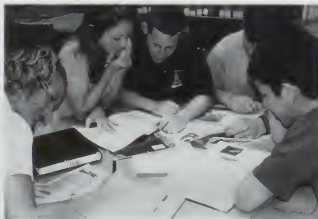


### WORKING IN A GROUP

A group of seniors and juniors look over materials for a research project. Often students got passes to the library during their study hall.

### QUIZZING OVER MATERIAL

Miranda Gorchos (12) quizzes fellow classmates on test material. Many times students played the role of a teacher to help study.





Mrs. Bennett gave me a little bit of help on my map of Vietnam.—Scott Ewing (11)



"I think peer tutoring is a good way to help students learn."—Jason Stahl (10)

My favorite class activity is group work because we get to talk to other people.—Dan Staples (9)

## Alternative Methods Promote Learning

Teachers were constantly searching for a new way to keep student's attention. They used group work, cooperative learning, peer tutoring, as well as the new Socratic method.

Group work and cooperative learning were often coupled with class projects. "In Mr. Bush's English class we worked in cooperative groups to make a newspaper. It was fun and with more people to help, the work gets done," said Dan Motkowicz (9).

Peer tutoring and peer editing were used in several classes. Mrs. Dee Vance said, "In World Cultures, the students have a 7th period study hall which involves peer tutors." Karla Condron (12) said, "I think it is better to be tutored by another student because they can relate the information at the same level."

In the Fall, a group of teachers attended a seminar concerning the Socratic Method. In the winter, another group attended the same seminar. As a result, students all over the building were subjected to this new teaching technique.

Mr. Art Equihua said, "Socratic seminars are beneficial at times. Discussions of this sort really challenge students to analyze their own opinions." Students seemed to like the method too. After a reading of some sort, students had the opportunity to discuss their views concerning the subject matter. "Socratic seminars were better than other classroom activities because you got to hear people's ideas that you usually never knew about," said Jillian Kanas (12).

For the most part, students liked any method that didn't involve lecturing. "Anything is better than lecturing. I hate that. It's like being talked down to," said Katie Kardes (11). Ryan Frisinger (9) said, "It depends on who is lecturing, but not too many teachers do that anymore. I only have one teacher who lectures."

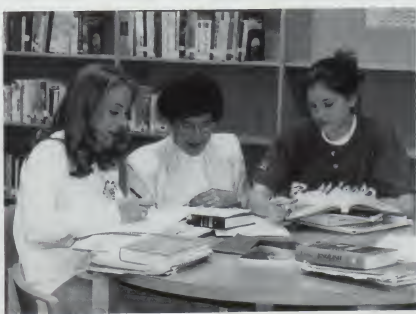
—Steve Idalski

### What's Your Story?

"We read a story in my health class and the assumption was that the character was of a different race. Most of the class ranted about racial differences and it got really out of hand. Every time someone would make a positive comment, someone else would come back with a negative comment. People were yelling and screaming at each other. It was horrible. I couldn't believe how emotional some people got and how ignorant other were about racial issues."—Cassie Miller (12)

### WORKING ON A PROJECT

With the assistance of Mrs. Diane Lange, Lindsey Ciochina (9) and Lauren Hostinsky (9) get help on homework. Mrs. Lange ran the peer resource program.



*"I learned a lot about pigs. My opinion is, it tastes better than it looks!" - Steve Stewart (72)*

*"Being in Mr. Conard's class is exciting because you never know when he is going to make something explode." - Katie Gora (11)*



## Experiments Teach Concepts

Students sitting in class listening to routine lectures cringed when their noses picked up the scent of formaldehyde or other familiar chemicals. All knew the next step...dissection or laboratory experimentation. Despite the smell of such activities, students enjoyed the break from the routine. "I did labs in physics. They provided a "hands on" way to study the material," said Brian Connelly (12). During labs, students observed tiny objects not visible to the naked eye, mixed chemicals, and dissected worms, frogs, and pigs.

Biology II was one place to find experiments taking place. The main focus was the baby pig dissection. Kristen Hoffman said, "We did one experiment on blood pressure, but we mainly do dissections of pigs." This was a challenge for some students that couldn't handle the formaldehyde smell or the blood and guts. "The chemicals they use while dissecting animals

reminds me of old people's stinky feet," said Jana Gillespie (11).

Science classes offered students the power to use their observable skills through experimentation. To have a challenge throughout the day made school more interesting. Also, students found a sense of humor within the classroom a necessity since sometimes things didn't turn out as expected. Even the teachers had occasional mishaps. Natalie Barenie (11) said, "Mr. Loving was doing a demonstration on how one element reacts with another. Suddenly, there was this big explosion. It was really funny because not only were the students surprised by the size of it,

but it surprised Mr. Loving as well." -Magan LeNeave

### What's Your Story?

"My students learned how reactive the element potassium is. When you drop it in water it sizzles, pops and bursts into a purple flame. When I did it, the piece was a bit too big. I made a HUGE explosion which threw purple pieces of flaming potassium in the air. It was like being at ground zero for a fireworks display. My students will never forget." Mr. Loving-Chemistry

### EXTREME MEASURES

Charles Asher (11) measures the amount of liquids to fill the tube. Charles said, "I liked the labs because you could get away from book assignments." (left)







#### **SCOPE IT OUT**

*Peeking into the microscope, Jennifer Sanders (12) observes her project. Biology II created a sense of creativity for the student. (left)*

#### **TAKE A PEEK**

*Biology II presents many challenges for students; however Eric Scheldberg (12) had no problem with the microscope. He said, "Mr. Loving's sense of humor and sarcasm makes the class exciting."*



#### **EXACT TEMPERATURES**

*Heather Hamilton (11) and Carolyn Taylor(11) look closely as the temperature rises. A.P. Chemistry helped students apply their knowledge of compounds, elements, and their relationship to each other.*

#### **SCALPEL PLEASE!**

*While doing the incisions to a baby pig, Heather Kaiser (12) and Sofiya Paalberg (12) examined their assignment closely. Sofiya said, "The only bad part about dissecting is the foul smell." (left)*

### DESIGNING AND CREATIVITY

*In Art I and 2, Ljubica Knezevic (12) creates her clay project during her class. She said it helped her use her creativity.*

### MAKING CARS GO

*Mike Estes (11) changes a tire in the auto shop area. Many teachers and students dropped their cars off in the shop for repairs.*



### IT'S PARTY TIME

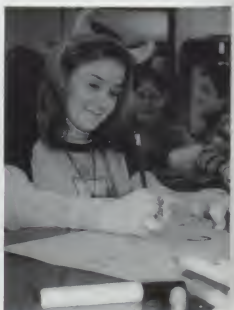
*During her first year of French class, Lindsay Cox (9) participated in a Fete. The students cooked and sampled a variety of French foods. (center)*

### RELATING WITH OTHERS

*Kim Devine (9) makes an Identity poster in Personal Relations class. In Personal Relations students learn how to relate with others.*

### GETTING BUFF

*Building muscles, Brandon Green (11) struggles as he determines his strength. In Basic Strength Training, the students set a goal to increase their maximum lifting ability. (center)*





*"Good Art and Ideas to express my imagination and creativity. This class gave you plenty of freedom to design what you wanted." --Colleen Chapman (11)*



*"Good advanced journalism and newspaper because I plan to major in journalism, and I have a passion for writing. I really enjoyed the problems I was faced with." --Karlye Maloney*

## Students State Preference for Fun Electives

When students reached high school, they had the advantage of choosing a few classes that they enjoyed taking. There were many electives from which to choose. However, some were more enjoyable than others.

Some students enjoyed classes that didn't add to their stress level. "Graphic arts was a fun class because you learned a lot, and the teacher wasn't real demanding. It was up to you to choose to do well or not," said Mate Banyai (10).

Some students thought the teacher made all the difference. Melissa Brown (10) said, "Personal Relations was fun because the teacher was awesome and let us express our opinions." Mark Fronck agreed that the teacher was important. He had Mr. Equihua for Psychology. "Psychology was the bomb," he said.

Being permitted to express opinions seemed important to students. "Orchestra was fun because you got to express yourself through mu-

sic," said Theresa Hauer (11). "I thought the Socratic Seminars we had in German class were great because we got to say what we thought about things instead of just listening to a teacher," said Jarrett Babinscak (12).

Some students took elective classes that were geared toward future plans. "I took Drama, Dramatic Literature, and Speech because I would like to go into the field of acting," said Melissa Garza (12).

Other students decided to take classes they thought might raise their grade point average. I took Beginning Foods because I thought it would be a fun class and an easy A," said Jessica Barnhill (11). --Jenn Gold

### What's Your Story?

"I was getting really irritated with the dress I was making in Mrs. Turman's sewing class. I had tried to put the zipper in several times and failed. I decided to try it one more time. I guess I wasn't paying attention and the needle of the sewing machine attached my thumb to my dress. I pulled my thumb out and although it was really bleeding, I managed not to get any on the dress. However, I went through two band aids before the day was over." --Kristen Henderlong (12)

### MAKING MUSIC

Sara Roth (9) concentrates as she plays the flute. The freshman band practiced daily during 7th hour to improve skills and prepare for performances.



*"Ceramics is a good class to take because I plan on going to art school once I graduate from high school." - Rachel Randolph (10)*

*"Being in Newspaper is a terrific experience for me. I've been interested in this class for a while, and I feel I have learned more in it than I have in a class where I haven't dealt with real situations." - Melanie Marshall (12)*



## Hands on Classes Entertain

**H**ands on classes include art, music, tech, computers, publications, and home economic classes. These classes removed students from the long lectures, and put them to work.

Classes such as art helped the students use their creativity in a different way. If they were good at sculpture and enjoyed working with clay they could try Ceramics, Advanced Ceramics, or Sculpturing. In these classes the student could use their imagination and create an abstract project. "Ceramics was definitely a hands-on class. It is so much fun, but you always got clay stuck in your nails," said Colleen Mayer (11). Art classes also include Art 1 and 2. These classes taught the basics of art and were required in order to move on to more advanced classes. Crafts and Arts & Ideas were for a student who wanted to learn more about art from different cultures.

In the Home Economics Department, students could study child rearing, cooking, sew-

ing, and classes related to real life skills. The Business department offered computer skills classes including one on the use of the Internet, and the publications classes taught students writing skills as well as desktop publishing. "I liked Newspaper because I got to do things on my own. There weren't as many restrictions as there are normally," said Josh Johnson (12).

The Music Department offered the traditional band and orchestra classes along with several choirs. "I really looked forward to going to band everyday because I got to use my artistic talents," said Kassie Miller (10). Which ever class they choose, students said they preferred hands-on classes to the traditional kind. -- Jenn Gold

### What's Your Story?

"Mr. Degenhart tends to have occasional bad days where everyone he comes in contact with is usually in trouble for something. During one of our crew days for "George Washington Slept Here", he had one. After two outbursts, Theresa Boscia, Ryan Freesinger, Nick Sterna, and myself ran up to the booth and hid for the rest of the afternoon. We spent two hours talking, joking around, and learning the sound board."

-Katherine Weber (12)

### IN THE FUTURE

Learning the basics of computers, Noelle Webster (11) concentrates on her assignment. Graphics provided students with the latest technology.





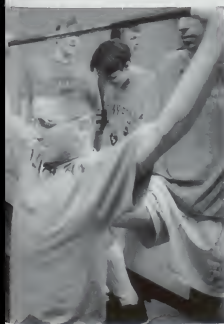


### TAKE A PICTURE

*As her classmates draw her, Lauren Kunkle (12) poses during her Advanced Art class. This was one of many projects in which students had to participate.*

### LEARNING ABOUT

*Sitting in his Woods class, Matt Koehler (11) listens to his teacher as he explains the next assignment. This was one of the few times the students had to sit in the classroom.*



### STAYING FIT

*Using his strength, Rick Chapman (12) lifts weight during his Basic Strength Training (BST) class. BST was open to all students who wanted to stay in shape or condition for a sport.*



### START IT UP

*Attending Auto Shop, Phil Dorin (11) and Steve Strange (11) learn the basics of an automobile engine. This was a popular class among the guys who wanted to go into mechanics.*

### IMPROVING HIS MAX

During his basic strength training class, Brett Overbey (10), lifts weights while Ryan Rapp spots him. Many students took BST to keep in shape, especially athletes during their off season.

### SECONDS PLEASE

During her fitness and nutrition class, Rachel Ray (12), helps herself to the salad she prepared. Students spent two days doing aerobics and three days in the classroom, planning healthy meals.

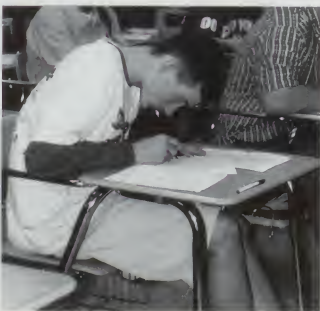


### PUTTING IT TO THE TEST

Finishing his health test, Adam Miller (10) looks over his answers. Students were required to take health as sophomores.

### PUMPING IT UP

Benching 350 pounds, Tom Cicero (12), works out during the football off season. Tom took the class to stay in shape and prepare himself for football in college.





**H.E.R.O.** sponsors a food drive every year around Thanksgiving time. We went to each classroom and collected money and food for this. -Brandy Hartman (11)

Even though it was just practice, being pulled out of the water during this cross chest carry-out by a girl, Mary Camarena (10), made me feel embarrassed. -Charlie Rollins (10)

## Life Skills Classes Prepare Students

Students had a variety of classes available to them to broaden their life skills.

Child development opened the doors to many students who chose to take the class to get a better understanding of the growth and development of children. "I learned in class the basic necessities of caring for and nourishing a child," said Angela Shepard (12). "I learned about the value of children, and how you should wait until you're really ready before you decide to have children," said Kori Stark (12).

On-site child development took a different approach to teaching about the development of children. In this class, students went to the elementary school of their choice and taught students in a grade of their choice. "Two days a week, we stayed in the classroom and learned about the development of school-aged children, and the other three days, we went to the school and taught our assigned class. I've learned a lot, especially that teaching takes a lot of pa-

tience and hard work," said Melissa Momper (12).

Foods and advanced foods classes allowed students to take a break from the usual classrooms and books, and focus on a kitchen and a cookbook. "In advanced foods we were educated on nutritional foods, and how to make them. Cake decorating was the most fun," said Janelle Swinehart (12). Whether or not students planned to be professional chefs, foods classes provided them with basic skills.

The lifesaving classes taught students how to become lifeguards and administer CPR and rescue breathing. "The class was a lot of fun. I took it so I could become certified in lifesaving and lifeguard this summer," said Stacy Rimkus (12). --Steve Idalski

### What's Your Story?

"I was in on-site child development. I helped with a kindergarten class at Eisenhower. I noticed some of my students not playing at recess. I started a game of follow the leader. Before I knew it, I glanced behind me and my 'ten' students turned into the entire class, along with almost all of the first and second graders. Needless to say, I was later informed that the fifth and sixth grade classes had a good laugh while looking out their classroom windows." Melissa Momper (12)



### WAITING FOR MUNCHIES

Waiting for their turn, Tom Wicinski (10), Charlie Amodeo (9), and Jared Hays (10) enjoy the food prepared. Students learned how to cook basic foods.

# ATCHES, MEETS, GAMES

*Athletics Create Community Pride*

## PROVIDE ENTERTAINMENT

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"We were playing a soccer game against Valpo at their state park fairgrounds. We were all tired and exhausted after the game, so we were all pretty quiet. We loaded all the equipment on the bus, and we were off. Well the parking lot was really tiny, and it was quite full because there were baseball games going on too. We were almost around all the cars when all of a sudden we felt a hard jolt, and we all kind of fell out of our seats. Turns out the back end of the bus had hit a pickup truck that was illegally parked. We sat in the parking lot for like an hour until finally a cop came. It took another hour to find out who the truck belonged to. To make the time pass, our captains started singing theme songs to TV shows. Soon the whole bus was awake, singing and laughing."--JENNIFER KUTANOVSKI (11)  
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## ROUGH & ROWDY

Whether it was on a court, on a field, in a swimming pool, or in a gym, teams and individual students brought success to the school. Despite wins or losses, teams proved themselves successful by meeting their team or personal goals and having fun.

Fall brought success to the Girls' Cross Country team. They made it all the way down to State, where they placed third. Also, the boys' team placed second at their sectionals, which qualified them for regionals where runner David Patti (12) qualified for the semi-state meet.

Boys' tennis also won their sectionals by defeating Griffith and girls' soccer finished off with the best season they've had since the team started three years ago: 13-1. "Even though we lost in the second round of sectionals, we still met our goals by winning the most games in girls' soccer history at this school," said Kelli Hein (9). The foot-

ball team also enjoyed the best season in years.

Winter brought Hoosier hysteria, especially in March when the Boys' Basketball Team won the sectional for the first time this decade. They continued on to semi-state in Lafayette where they played Marion. Despite their continued efforts, the boys lost and ended their season 16-8. "We went down fighting against a better team," said Coach Tom Johnson.

Two members of the Wrestling Team, Mark Kaiser (12) and Kevin Wilkinson (9), qualified for state competition. Kevin was the first freshman wrestler from Crown Point ever to make it to that far.

Spring brought the normal April showers, which continued through May, causing the cancellation and rescheduling of many events. However, several teams found success. For the first time, the girls' track team won the sectional, regional, and placed at state. In addition, the girls' tennis team won their sectional and the first game of the regional. Also the boys' golf team won the sectional and regional and moved on to state competition.

When it came down to it, win or lose, athletes proved they could be both...

"Rough & Rowdy."

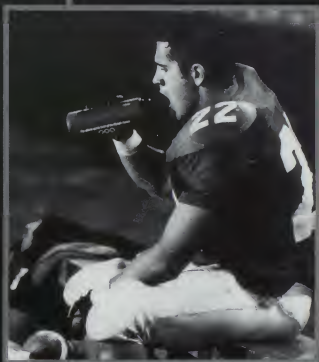


Sports





Triple teamed, Nick Patterson (12) manages to break away from his Marion opponents to take a shot. "I've never been around a closer group of guys who worked so hard to achieve our goals."



During halftime, running back, Brian Parker (12) relaxes and replenishes. Brian was crowned Mr. Football, named MVP, and also was named to the All-Conference and All-Area teams.



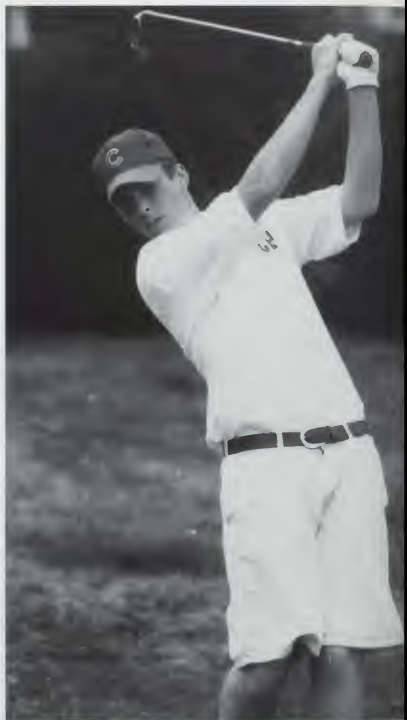
"This was my first year on track. I'm not good at shot-put yet, but it is so fun, and I love working with the team."—Theresa Fredericks (10)

"I love going to all the sporting events. All the superfans and I dress-up to support the team and have fun."—Mike Higginbotham, (12)



### *Watching Carefully*

Keeping his eye on the ball, Jared Hays (10) hopes to make his shot. This was Jared's second year on the team.



### **Boys** **GOLF**

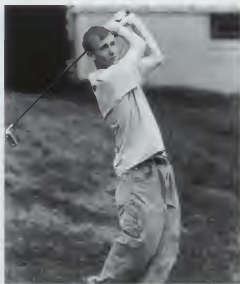
Andrean	158-165
Munster	171-168
Lake Central	179-177
Lafayette	15th
Hobart	171-160
Chesterton	171-171
Kankakee	1st
LaPorte	169-171
Valparaiso	169-177
Portage	158-155
Rennselaer	4th
Michigan C.	151-145

### *Scorebox...*

LaPorte	151-167
Chesterton	168-187
Portage	153-162
Merrillville	153-163
Lowell	158-173
N. Newton	158-211
Hobart	170-175
Merrillville	170-185
Duneland	2nd
Sectional	1st
Regional	3rd

### *Practicing*

Prior to the match with Chesterton, Brian Lawlor (11) practices chipping the ball onto the green. All home meets were held at Pheasant Valley Country Club.



### *High Expectations*

Hoping for a hole-in-one, Brian Thomas chips the ball onto the green. Brian had been on the golf team since his freshman year.

### *Decisions, Decisions*

Deciding which club to use, Tom Mayer (12) selects one for the perfect shot. Tom was named to the All-Duneland Team for the second year in a row. Tom's bogey putt on No. 18 helped the Bulldogs finish third in the regional. (center)



# Boys' GOLF

*Team wins sectional, takes third in regional, qualifies for state competition*

Every day practices held at Pheasant Valley paid off highly for the boys' golf team. The team had high expectations especially after winning their first meet against Andean. "Beating Andean was exciting and it really helped boost the teams confidence because it was our first meet of the year," said R.J. Ohlenkamp (12).

Finding five boys who were going to fill the five varsity spots was a challenge. "Our team has so much talent and nine guys to fill five varsity spots. Once we found our lineup, we became more competitive," said Brain Thomas (12).

## Concentrating

Grayson Fenwick (10) uses his sandwedge to chip his ball out of the bunker. Using the right club played an important role in making a good shot.

boys' golf team ended their season on a high note winning their sectional. In addition, the team took third place at the regional defeating Valparaiso by one point.

Tom Mayer (12) was

named All-Conference for the second year in a row. "Being named to the All-Conference team twice was a huge honor and privilege. It made my last year of golf

very memorable," said Tom. Freshman Nathan Symczak said, "Being a freshman on the golf team was sometimes scary, but I had a lot of fun and made many new friends. I am very proud of our team members and our accomplishments."

- M a n d y Springman

"On our way to and from our golf meets, the team gets extremely hyper. Singing is one of the teams favorite past times on the bus rides. We like to sing out loud, and we dedicate many songs to the bus driver. Our coach Mr. Chelap, doesn't mind K-Ci & Jo Jo, but he gets a little tense when we pump up the Master 'P'."

- Brian Thomas (12)



## Just having fun

This year, I had a great time being on the golf team. Being a member of the team gave me an opportunity to meet many new people and helped improve my game tremendously. You just can't beat free golf." -Kevin Nolan (10)



## Final Goodbyes

This being my last year on the golf team, I just tried to have lots of fun. The season went by fast and our team did well." -Chris Ramirez (12)

# VARSITY FOOTBALL

*Team brings in best regular season record in ten years, excites fans with overtime play*

**B**eginning their practices on August 4 the football team worked very hard to improve their record from the year before. "I felt we did pretty good, but we were expecting much more," said Mike Avery (12). The season started out promising with convincing wins over Lowell and Munster, both on the road.

scored the touchdown to pull the team within one, and Joe Dlugokinski (12) tied it up with the extra point to send the game into overtime. In overtime, Mike Mucha (12) caught the winning ball.

During the following week the team traveled to Hobart to take on the Brickies where they played tough, but lost 29-30. The guys lost one more game in the regular season against Valparaiso enroute to a 7-2 regular season record; their best since 1987. However, the play-offs proved to be a disappointment since they won the first game against Lew Wallace, but lost to Valparaiso in the second round. Despite the loss, Rob Dado (12), said, "It was a great time. I will never forget (playing football) here." -Andy Kirk

Watching his teammates from the sideline Mark Kaiser (12) prepares to go back in. Mark led the team with 9 sacks, and was selected to the all DAC.

## *Watching Intently*

Watching his teammates from the sideline Mark Kaiser (12) prepares to go back in. Mark led the team with 9 sacks, and was selected to the all DAC.

**D**uring the Michigan City football game I scored my first touchdown ever. It came on a one yard run into the end zone. It is a memory I will have all my life. I also have the ball I scored with for the rest of my life.

-Chad Kazmerski 12

Next came the home opener against long time nemesis Merrillville which the guys won in a dramatic fashion. They were down 14-7 with just under two minutes to go when the offense came back onto the field. Quarterback Adam Lamere (12) ran the two-minute drill to perfection hitting open receivers all over the field. Brian Parker (12)

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## *Going For The Kill*

**W**hen I had a great season and have not had this much talent on this team since the late 80's. This was also the best time I have ever had playing football." - Sam Roberts (12)



## *Down at the knees*

**W**hen we had a great regular season even though we lost two close games, but I was disappointed about how the sectional came out. I really wanted to go to the dome, but I guess it wasn't meant to be." - Ken Tucker (12)







### *Pounding the hole*

Brian Parker (12) attempts to juke his opponent to gain yardage. With 1,734 yards, Brian led the team in rushing, won MVP, and was named to the All-area team.

## **VARSITY FOOTBALL**

### *Scorebox...*

Lowell	41-19	LaPorte	25-7
Munster	42-7	Chesterton	20-14
Merrillville	20-17	Michigan City	41-28
Hobart	29-30	<i>Sectional...</i>	
Portage	22-6	Lew Wallace	48-6
Valparaiso	28-10	Valparaiso	21-0



### *Calling the signals*

Yelling out the play in the Merrillville game, Adam Lamere (11) makes sure everyone at scrimmage line knows the play. Adam started all eleven games as quarterback.



### *Pass blocking*

In the game against LaPorte, Mike Avery (12) keeps his Slicer opponent from getting away from him. Mike lettered all three years on the team.



### *Receiving a pass*

Receiving the ball in open field, Jeff Svihra (12) looks to get all the yards he can get. Jeff led the team in receiving yards with 612, and was voted to the all DAC team.

### *Celebrating a win*

Nick Metros (12) leads on the celebration after the win against Merrillville. The "Dogs" came from behind to win 20-17.

# J.V. / FROSH FOOTBALL

*Teams finish seasons on winning note while preparing varsity team players*

Starting their regular season out with a bang, the J.V. football team won their first two games against Lowell and Munster. After winning those games they went on a slide, losing three in a row to Merrillville, Hobart, and Portage before finally beating Valparaiso.

After the Valparaiso game, they lost the next two to LaPorte and Chesterton.

In the season finale, the team defeated Michigan City. The team members were not discouraged by their record. "This season was tough, but also very fun. It was hard to get a real team feeling because we

were the prep team for the varsity. We also didn't know who we had playing with us from week to week," said Ty Trusgnich (10). "We still played hard, and gave it our best. We still had a competitive team, and still had some fun."

The freshmen finished 3-6 with wins against Lowell, Munster, and Michigan City. Even with the six defeats, they came very close to reversing their record; however, with three heart-breaking losses to Valparaiso, Hobart, and Portage, the chance was lost. "I didn't get much practice. With a few breaks here and there, it could have been even better," said Brad Pelton (9). -Andy Kirk

## *Punting the ball*

Attempting to punt the ball, Kevin Wilkinson (9) tries to pin Merrillville deep in its own territory. This was Kevin's first year playing football.

"On the way back from a game, some people were throwing stuff on the bus. Coach said 'if one more person throws anything, they have to clean up the bus.' Nick Metros threw a piece of tape that landed on Coaches head. After that, the bus got trashed and everyone helped Nick clean up the bus."

-Joe Bombagetti (11)

## *Double teaming it*

"I had fun with a successful season, and a good offensive line. I look forward to starting next year."

- Al Guillen (11)

## *Plugging the hole*

"I thought we could have had a better season, but we worked hard as a team. We also did grow stronger throughout the course of the season. That goes out to the coaching staff." - K.C. Klepsch (9)





### *Leaping in the air*

In the game against the Merrillville Pirates, Justin Smith (9) fights his opponent for a high ball. The team lost the game, but Justin was one of the starting receivers for the freshman team.

### **J.V. /FROSH FOOTBALL**

J/V

Lowell  
Munster  
Merrillville  
Hobart  
Portage  
Valparaiso  
LaPorte  
Chesterton  
Michigan C.

14-0

28-6

0-28

14-36

6-28

22-12

14-15

38-24

21-6

Frosh

Lowell

Munster

Merrillville

Hobart

Portage

Valparaiso

LaPorte

Chesterton

Michigan

21-13

24-16

7-21

7-13

16-28

7-8

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30-16

### *Scorebox...*



### *Making the call*

Quarterback Ty Trusgnich (10) calls the play as center Woody Kelsey (10) snaps the ball for a first down in the game with the Hobart Brickies. The junior varsity team lost the game 7-13. Ty finished his second year in the football program.



### *Throwing a block*

Committing an illegal block. Mark Bohling (10) takes out his opponents' knee and receives a 15-yard penalty. Mark was the fullback for the junior varsity team.

### *Sliding defenders*

Ryan Wilkinson (9) runs for daylight as he stiff-arms his Merrillville opponent. Ryan was the starting quarterback for the team.

# VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

*Young team struggles to conquer  
Dundeland Athletic Conference  
teams*

eginning the season on August 4th, the girls Volleyball team looked forward to having a successful season. However, the team ended up not having the season they had hoped for finishing with a 10-21 record. In addition, they lost 5 of their 7 Duneland Athletic Conference (DAC) games. "I thought we

had an okay season, and we had a lot of fun, and tried really hard. I also worked on improving my game so we could do well in the tournaments," said Gail Weibaker (12).

Conference games were not the only competition the girls

were interested in according to Katie Marsh (12). "I thought the Andean game was our biggest non-conference game because they were one of the best teams around, and they were also one of our biggest rivals," she said. Despite their efforts, the team lost to Andean in two close matches.

At the end of the season Katie Marsh and Gail Weibaker were named CO/MVP and Gail was also named All Conference in the (DAC). Overall,

## *Spiking the ball*

Rising to the occasion Danielle Touson (11) smashes the ball over the net to earn a point at the Andean game where the girls lost 0-2. Danielle spent her first year as a varsity team member.

**"I**n volleyball, a tip over the net is called a dump. Whenever the setter would tip it over we would say nice dump. Between that and calling out our plays (double zero, and Mr. T) people thought we were crazy."

-Gail Weibaker (12)

## *Bumping the ball*

I set on this year to improve my own game and contribute to the team. I was very proud to be part of the team, but was disappointed that we didn't go farther than we did in the state tournament." Beth Tully (11)



## *Returning the ball*

I feel that as a team we did a fantastic job and had lots of fun this season. The only thing I would change if I could is that I wish we could have gone a lot farther this season since this was my last year on the team." Gail Weibaker (12)







### *Hitting the ball*

Katie Marsh (12) guides the ball in the match with Michigan City. Katie won MVP.

## **VARSITY VOLLEYBALL**

### *Scorebox...*

Highland	2-0	Rensselaer	1-3
Hanover Central	2-0	Michigan City	0-2
Hammond Clark	0-2	Andrean	0-2
Mc Cutchen*	0-3	K.V.	0-2
Lake Central	1-2	Portage	2-1
Crown Point*	2-2	Merrillville	0-2
Hammond Noll	0-2	Lowell*	1-2
Chesterton	1-2	East Chicago	2-0
Munster	0-2	LaPorte	0-2
Calumet	2-0	Hobart	2-0
Valpo	0-2	<i>Sectional</i>	
Griffith	2-0	Lowell	2-0
Lowell	0-2	*Denotes tournament	

### *Sliding a point*

Keeping it alive. Renee Ullmann (11) returns a ball that would have hit the floor in the game with Michigan City. The girls lost in two. Renee also helped out with the junior varsity team games and found time in the spring to compete in track and field events.



### *Deep thoughts*

Coach Jacobs kneels down during the Portage match to think of a strategy for her team. Jacobs has been coaching varsity volleyball for the past six seasons.

### *Bumping the ball*

Kristin Hoffman (11) puts the ball over the net to save a point against the Valparaiso Vikings. Kristin was a very dedicated player on the team.



### *Pounding the ball*

Amanda Turner(9) leaps for the ball."I leaped as high as I could and swung hard. I just happened to win the point."



## J.V./FROSH VOLLEYBALL

### *Scorebox...*

Highland	0-1	Lowell	1-2
Lake Central	1-2	Rennselear	2-0
Merrillville	1-2	Michigan City	0-2
Portage	2-1	Andrean	0-2
Bishop Noll	1-2	Griffith	2-1
Chesterton	2-0	Kankakee Valley	2-0
Munster	0-2	Merrillville	0-2
Valparaiso	0-2	E.C. Central	2-0
Calumet	2-0	LaPorte	0-2
Valparaiso	0-2	Hobart	2-1
North Judson	2-1	Kouts	2-1
Griffith	2-1	<i>Freshman Record</i>	7-11

### *Smashing the ball*

Keeping her eye on the ball, Courtney Sertich (9) smacks one up to the net in hopes of setting up a play in the game against the Michigan City Panthers. However, the girls lost the game in the first two matches after putting up a fight. Courtney also played on the freshman basketball team.



### *Coaching with emotion*

Not too happy with the play, Coach Angie Henley directs the team from the bench. Coach Henley came to Crown Point in 1994.

### *Using teamwork*

Renee Ullmann (11) and Sarah Zondor (9) hustle after a loose ball in the game with the Panthers. Renee called the ball so the two would not collide.



# J.V. FROSH VOLLEYBALL

*J.V. team finishes season with eleven wins, freshmen gain experience*

The grueling season of this year's volleyball team started on August 8th with practice two times a day and six times a week.

The junior varsity team set to have a winning season and to have fun doing it. According to Mrs. Henley, Sarah Zondor, Lindsey Nelson, Valerie Schweitzer, Laura Warne and Renee Ullmann were outstanding players for the J.V. squad. Expectations were high, but mostly, according to Coach Henley, the girls wanted to be competitive with other Duneland Athletic Conference teams. The girls finished 11-12, making it a decent season at .500. "Although our season

*Setting the ball*  
Using perfect form, Lindsey Nelson (9) sets the ball as Ericka Nance backs her up. Lindsey played on the J.V. team as a freshman also.

wasn't the most successful, it was a great learning experience for everyone and the girls were fun to work with," said Coach Henley.

The freshmen also had

a very good year, crushing rival Lake Central in three close games. "It was the most exciting game of the season," said Coach Becky Cowan. Coach Cowan thought the girls did a wonderful job. She said, "We had an awesome year. It was by far the biggest team I've ever coached

and they all worked well together." Ashley Rhodes (9) summed up the season. She said, "It didn't matter if we won or lost. The only thing that mattered was that we had a lot of fun." Overall, the team had 7 wins and 9 losses.

-Kyle LoGreco.

**W**e were playing at Valpo, in a tourney and there was a break in between games. So we had lunch and somebody brought in grapes. A few people dared me to put as many grapes as I could in my mouth. So I did, and I got 24 grapes in my mouth."

-Sarah Zondor(9)



## *Starting the set*

"We played since fifth grade and although we didn't win many games, I think this season helped us prepare for next year. I also thought Miss Henley was a great coach and she really helped us improve..."-Laura Warne (9)

## *Filled with emotion*

"The Lowell tournament was the most exciting because we pulled it all together and played really well. Even though we got third it was fun. I think the season went all right, but there can always be improvements..."-Ericka Nance(9)

## J.V. / Varsity

Ken Puplava, Kelly Davis, Kristin Hoffman, Katey Marsh, Gail Weibaker, Nicole Frost, Lindsey Nelson, Laura Warne, row 2: Jessica Nance, Carolyn Thompson, Erin Plumley, Renee Ullmann, Mary Parker, Sarah Zonder, Ericka Nance, Valerie Schwieter, Jeanette Rosenwinkle, row 3: Coach Angie Henley, Colleen Mayer, Julia Swenson, Laura Erickson, Danielle Towsen, Beth Tully, Sarah Hein, Coach Beth Jacobs, Coach Becky Cowan.

VOLEYBALL



## Freshman

Bethany Ketcher, Christina Sanford, Danielle Spear, Carissa Klingberg, Ashley Mattox, row 2: Katie Krol, Amanda Turner, Katie Reid, Victoria Murphy, Jacqui Witt, Erica Byrd, row 3: Karissa Guyer, Heather Diehl, Kristin Ross, Coach Becky Cowan, Becky Guenther, Dala Duffala, Ashley Rhodes. Not pictured: Courtney Sertich, Maggie Fleming.

VOLEYBALL



## J.V. / Varsity

Scott Ewing, Matt Fronek, Charlie Frasier, Chad Mopper, Brian Hiller, Steve Dixon, row 2: Bryce Segert, Josh Zacher, Sara Hurey, Shannon Thom, Melissa Mariola, Kris Lozanovski, Tom Sarnecki, row 3: Coach Tom Shoemaker, Brian Stiak, Erik Manfred, Justin Ashley, Chris Fosnacht, Brian Butler, Todd Mallers, Chris Hovanec, Coach Rick Hurey, row 4: Mike Emole, Micah Smith, Mike Anderson, Scott Evorik, Steve Sikanovski, Jeremy McMillen, Mike Kalmes, Slavco Pupaloski, Rob Galouzis, Ryan Morfin, row 5: Kevin Krajewski, Kire Terzioski, Alex Kutanovski, Dave Delgado, J.J. Goszewski, Alek Talevski, Steve Idalski, Andy Osvalds.

SOCCER







# Boys' Soccer

*Team learns valuable lessons while struggling in the Dundard Athletic Conference*

Starting out the season winning two of their four games it looked like a promising season for the boys' soccer team. However, the team had difficulty as the season progressed ending with a record of 4-13. "We had a up and down season. I felt we could have had a better season

with the seniors we had," said Scott Ewing (11).

Despite the fact the record showed losses against Merrillville, Lake Central, LaPorte, Hobart, and Munster; according to the Coach Richard Hurey, the team played some very good halves. He said the team, however, could not put together a complete

game.

Some of the highlights of the season included wins over Lowell, Michigan City and E.C. Central. "I was very discouraged by the performance of our team this year, even though we beat Boone Grove. I look to greatly improve for next year, and predict a conference and sectional championship," said Micah Smith (11).

When the regular season ended, the guys had high hopes for a sectional win, but lost to Merrillville in the opening game 0-3. "I thought this season was a learning experience, and we are looking for great things next year with twelve returning players from the varsity," said Scott Ewing (11).

-Andy Kirk

## *Observing the game*

Watching the game from the sidelines, Scott Ewing waits for his turn to play. In addition to soccer, Scott is also on the boys' track team. This was Scott's first year in soccer.

"One funny thing we did before every game was take a shower to pump us up. We knew we were not having a very good year, and the losing was starting to depress us, so we just decided to start having fun and enjoy the rest of our senior season instead of being depressed about the losing.

-Mike Emole (12)

## *Protecting The Ball*

It was an up and down season, but we played hard throughout the year and tried to improve from game to game. I think the team has a chance to do well next season with the juniors stepping up."

-Mike Kalmus (12)



## *Controlling the ball*

We beat Boone Grove, but that was our only accomplishment because our season was down hill. Next year however, we are going to come out and show everyone that we are a sectional contender, and that we can play.

-Mike Anderson (11)





### *Dribbling the ball*

Dribbling down the field against his LaPorte opponent, Ryan Morfin (12) looks to pass. Ryan played soccer all four years.

### **Boys Soccer**

Boone Grove	2-0	Merrillville	1-5
Portage	0-4	Andrean	0-5
Lowell	2-1	Merrillville	0-2
LaPorte	1-4	Highland	1-7
Griffith	0-6	Michigan City	3-1
Chesterton	0-5	Lake Central	1-5
Munster	1-4	Hobart	0-3
Valparaiso	0-10	<i>Sectionals</i>	
E.C. Central	4-1	Merrillville	0-3

### *Scorebox...*



### *Saving the ball*

Trying not to touch the ball with his hands, Rob Galouzis (10) traps the ball to keep it from his Merrillville opponent. The team lost to the Merrillville Pirates 1-5 in the regular season and then again in the first round of the sectional as well. Rob joined the soccer team last year as a freshman.

### *Head butting*

Using his head to get the ball to an open teammate, Slavco Pupaloski (12) head butts the ball. Slavco saw significant playing time.

### *Sliding defenders*

Kicking the ball around his Griffith opponent, Alek Talevski tries to get a goal. The "Dogs" fought hard but lost that game 0-6.

### *Sweeping to the right*

Heather Mann (10) gets around her opponent in the Merrillville game where the team won 4-1. Heather started as a junior varsity player and moved up to the varsity team later in the season.



## VARSITY GIRLS SOCCER

### *Scorebox...*

Portage	2-0	Merrillville	4-1
Chesterton	4-1	McCutcheon	5-0
Andean	1-3	Michigan City	5-0
LaPorte	8-0	Bishop Noll	10-1
Lake Central	2-3	Harrison	4-1
Highland	0-2	Boone Grove	3-1
Valparaiso	2-3	Hobart	4-1
Griffith	3-1	Munster	7-0

### *Tricking her contender*

Andrea Claussen (12) tries to knee the ball over her Highland opponent to a teammate. "We played intensively and aggressively. We strive for excellence, not perfection," she said about the Highland game. The girls lost to the Trojans, one of only four losses throughout the season.



### *Fighting for position*

Freshman Wendy Ellingsen tries to steal the ball from the Highland opposition. Wendy's goal for the season was to become a stronger defender.



### *Running the sidelines*

Sophomore Becky Erskine passes to her teammate. Becky started on the junior varsity team at midfield.





# GIRLS' SOCCER

*Team wins all home games, finishes year 7-1 in Duneland conference, earns 18-4 overall record*

inning the last ten games of the regular season, running undefeated for seven games at home, and earning a Duneland Athletic Conference record of 7-1, the girls' soccer team claimed a successful season according to Coach Mike Malaski. He said, "I feel the team performed very well this season. We met all of our goals, and we learned how to win the big game."

The first game of the sectionals proved to be a memorable experience. "In the first round of sectionals against Hobart, we went into overtime. We had to have a shootout and Erin Derry *Robbing the ball*

Kathy Kutanovski (9) steals possession of the ball. Kathy had the opportunity to play on the varsity team during her freshman year.

put in the winning goal. We all went crazy. We wanted to win that game more than anything," said Jen Kutanovski (11).

Kimiko Ostrozovich (9) remembered an-

other experience. "My most memorable moment was when we all spent the night at Andrea Claussen's house. Our team tee pee'd Coach Malaski and Degenhart's house."

The team ended its season by losing to Andean in the final sectional game. "One of our main goals was to get better and we did. Nothing was more important," said Brie Moore (11). Melanie McGoldrick (12) Derry (11) and Anne Balmes (11) were named to the All-Conference team and Melanie to the All-Area First team.

- Justin Schutz

**"T**here wasn't just one soccer practice that stands out the most except one. Coach Malaski or Coach Degenhart would be showing us a drill and how to do it at game speed. Well, they didn't have cleats on and fell on their butts hundreds of times. It was hilarious."

- Andrea Claussen (12)



## Glancing a loose ball

Unfortunately got injured midway through the season. Therefore, I couldn't play in the last couple of games. I was still able to watch us demolish our opponents in our last seven home games." - Dawn Cozart (9)

## Going for possession

We had a great year. I'm just glad I joined the soccer team this year. I plan to join the team next year." - Kimiko Ostrozovich (9)

# Boys' Cross Country

*Team finishes second in  
sectionals, sends one member to  
Semi-State*

The boys' cross country team set out to see how far the young runners would advance. In preparation, the team ran from two to four miles in the morning and from six to twelve miles in the afternoon. They had a disappointing start when top runner, Dave Patti (12), broke his foot in the

first race of the year where he finished first against Lake Central and Munster. Dave was unable to compete in the next six meets. "I felt that I had to step it up as well as the rest of the team with the absence of Dave," said Doug Schatzman (12).

The team had an outstanding sectional meet where Dave Patti placed

first and Dave and Doug Schatzman were named to the All Sectional First Team. The team finished second and qualified for Regionals where it ended the season. Dave Patti was named to the All Regional First Team qualifying him to run in Semi-State competition at New Prairie High School where he ended his season. "Overall I thought we had a pretty successful year, and I am looking forward to next year" said Ryan Kuntson (11). At the end of the season special awards went out to Patti for Most Valuable Runner, Schatzman for Outstanding Senior Runner, and Nate Reilly for Rookie of the Year.

-Justin Schutz

## *Rounding the flag*

Forcing himself to complete the flat course at Merrillville, Scott Qualizza (9) tries to hold his place. The boys lost to the Pirates.

**"O**n the way back from the New Prairie semi-state meet, the team said that we would eat at any place other than Burger King because that's where we always ate after meets. But when we got to Michigan City, we asked everyone where to eat and everyone said Burger King. It was the only good restaurant around."-Ryan Knutson (11)

## *Passing opponents*

Dave Patti (12) and Doug Schatzman (12) increase the pace. "I think that we could have had a better season, but we did get better as a team at the end." Doug Schatzman (12)



## *Packing together*

"I felt that the team was getting closer as the year progressed. My teammates helped me out by making me feel like a part of the team." Dave Thomas (9)





### *Cooring the course*

John Carroll (9) strides away from his opponent against New Prairie and rival Portage at Lemon Lake.

## Boys' Cross Country

### *Scorebox...*

Munster	46-64	Hobart	23-38
Lake Central	46-26	Merrillville	38-23
Munster	60-48	Chesterton	40-21
Gavit	60-53		
Hanover Central	60-55	<i>Invitational</i>	
Valparaiso	45-18	Rebel Fresh/Soph	5th
Michigan City	30-27	Broncho	8th
LaPorte	49-15	DAC	6th
Portage	50-15	<i>Regional</i>	2nd
New Prairie	44-18	<i>Regional</i>	7th



### *Kicking it in*

Leaving his opponents behind at the end of the meet, Eric Ewing (9) sprints to the finish. He said, "I joined the Cross Country team to follow in my brother's footsteps" Eric thought he had accomplished many of essential skills necessary for a first year runner. The team lost to Merrillville in the regular season 38-23.



### *Jumping the gun*

At the start, runners prepare for a long 5K race at their home course at Lemon Lake. The team had a poor finish on this day.

### *Passing his opponent*

Running strong, Adam Miller (10) tries to break from his Merrillville opponent. This was his second year on the varsity.

# GIRLS' CROSS COUNTRY

*Team qualifies for state,  
takes third place in state  
competition*

his team exceeded my expectations. The competition in our conference and in our semi-state was very intense." These were Coach Witt's words on the performance of the Girls' Cross Country team. The team had a successful regular season with a (9-6) record. They finished in

fifth place in the DAC meet due to injuries. When the regular season ended they entered the sectional where they finished first.

Bethany Chandler, Angela James, and Kelly O'Brien all finished in the top three. The next weekend they went to regional where they took first place, and seniors O'Brien, and Chandler took first

and second respectively. At Semi-state, they finished second losing to Michigan City by only nine points. During State competition, the girls won a record setting third place, their highest finish ever. Chandler placed 30th, O'Brien, 48th, Kathleen Lambert, 70th, Carolyn Taylor, 73rd, and James 74th. "This was a close knit team, and I loved every minute of it," said James (11).

When the season finally ended O'Brien, and Chandler were named Co-MVPs. James was named the Most Improved runner, and Kathleen Lambert was named the Most Promising Runner. "This was a race and a season I will remember forever," said Chandler (12).

- Andy Kirk

## Setting Her Pace

Taking a run along a trail at the Brown County State Park, Debbie Thompson (11) gets ready for the upcoming season. The team spent a week at the camp to condition before practices started.

**I**n August we went to a camp in Brown County. We would run three times a day up hills that were so steep that there were signs saying "dismount your bikes". One morning when we were running we saw a flock of wild turkeys running along side of us. We started racing, but the turkeys won."

-Carolyn Taylor (11)

## Checking Her Watch

My team did not really have expectations. We just wanted to run our best and see where that would take us. We obviously went very far with getting all the way to third place in the state meet which was a great thrill for me; especially this being my senior year."

-Kelly O'Brien (12)

## Rounding the Corner

We began running back in June and went to camp over the summer. We spent so much time together, we were like a family. I think we will remember this season and our third place finish at state for the rest of our lives." -Carolyn Taylor (11)







### *Kicking It In*

Pushing herself into high gear, Elizabeth Thompson (11) eyes the finish line at the sectional. Elizabeth was also a member of the girls' track team.

### GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

### *Scorebox...*

Lake Central	15-40	New Prairie	37-24
Munster	15-83	Hobart	22-33
Hanover Central	18-48	Chesterton	36-21
Lowell	18-95	Merrillville	20-37
Gavit	18-72	Duneland	5th
Valparaiso	39-20	Sectional	1st
Michigan City	33-24	Regional	1st
Portage	44-19	Semi-State	2nd
LaPorte	43-19	State	3rd



### *Building up Speed*

Trying to better her time, Jen Dienes (9) tries to out-distance her nearest opponent. Jen was considered a promising runner by the coaching staff. Jen was also a member of the girls' swim team.



### *Taking a Break*

Getting her foot taped, Brooke Homrich (12) takes a break from action. Brooke could not finish the season due to injuries.

### *Pacing Herself*

Trying to pace herself for the race, Amy Steinberg (12) finishes up strong. In addition to being on the cross country team, Amy also played Basketball.

## Varsity/J.V.

Debbie Thompson, Angela James, Kelly O'Brien, Bethany Chandler, Carolyn Taylor, row 2: Elizabeth Thompson, Jen Dienes, Tasha Beauchamp, Marisa Wheeler, Noreen Khalid, Kathleen Lambert, row 3: Coach Ken Witt, Bethany Hamrich, Elizabeth Wiltshire, Brooke Hamrich, Amy Steinberg, Coach Chip Parsons

Varsity/J.V.



## Varsity/J.V.

Bret Short, Nate Reilly, Scott Qualizza, Robby Schrum, Doug Schatzman, row 2: Eric Euring, Nate Goodall, Kevin Feder, Dan Hinshaw, Craig Bonaccorsi, row 3: Coach Lafey Armontrout, Adam Miller, Eric Mickey, Dave Patti, Ryan Knutson, Coach Keith Iddings

Varsity/J.V.



## Varsity/J.V.

Jen Koscielniak, Kate Oberman, Annie Sabato, Rebecca Guess, Danielle Pergrine, Beth Sabato, Jessica Ohlenkamp, Jen Anderson, row 2: Melissa Mariola, Karlise Maloney, Nikiki Hays, Julie Steinberg, Breanne Scheldberg, Coach Mike Chelap

Varsity/J.V.





BASEBALL

## Varsity/J.V.

Matt Chelap, Andy Liss, Joe Keifer, Carl Zurbriggen, Chris Spohr, Josh Johnson, row 2: Shannon Dedelow, Mike Ellich, Dean Costakis, Tim Kacmar, Zack Weeks, Ryan Abella, Melanie Nelson, row 3: Coach Tom May, Jacob Gettler, Jason Stahl, Chris Horst, Tom Farnsworth, Steve Meece, Coach Reid



CHEERLEADERS

## Varsity

Jamey Callow, Audrey Metros, row 2: Jenna Rasmussen, Beth Jamison, row 3: Shannon Fleming, Brie Connor, Angela Heinzman, Jennifer Kaltunas, Megan Carnahan.



CHEERLEADERS

## J.V.

Kristen Callison, Nicole Makarek, row 2: Jamie Larsen, Megan Makarek, Stephanie Kampick, Lisa Wheeler

### *Practicing putts*

Jen Anderson (9) sinks her putt before a match at Oak Knoll. Jen was a member of Youche country club.



## GIRL'S GOLF

### *Scorebox...*

Munster 202-221  
Lake Central 220-186  
Hanover 197-217  
Andrean 207-195  
LaPorte 191-189  
Chesterton 224-244

Valparaiso 215-187  
Lowell 197-253  
Michigan Ct. 186-182  
Portage 202-182  
Merrillville 187-186  
Sectional 5th

### *Practice makes perfect*

Julie Steinberg (9) chips her ball onto the green at the Oak Knoll practice area prior to the Michigan City match where the girls lost the game by a mere 4 strokes. 186-182. Julie was a first year golfer and played on the junior varsity team.



### *Going for the cup*

Rebecca Guess (10) lands on the green. Rebecca averaged a forty-nine for nine holes and played number two varsity most of the season.



### *Sinking the putt*

Jessica (9) Ohlenkamp concentrates on the cup at the first hole. Jessica was also a cheerleader on the freshman squad.





# GIRLS' GOLF

*Girls place fifth at Sectionals, send Nikki Hays to Regional competition*

With a 5th place finish at Sectionals and a team member qualifying for Regionals, the girls' golf team would appear to have had a good year. However, the team didn't have as much success as they hoped to have. Coach Mike Chelap explained, "We were very inconsistent. One day two girls would shoot well and two girls would have an off day. The next meet the two girls that shot poorly had a great day, but the other girls shot badly. Last year we averaged 194 for nine holes and this year we averaged 206 for nine holes."

The team took fifth place in the Duneland Conference as well as in the sectional meet. Their *Trying to make par*

Karlye Maloney (11) practices putting before the Michigan City match. Karlye's best round was 43 for nine holes.

final record was five and eight overall and two and five in the conference. According to Karlye Maloney (11), the highlights of the season

included Nikki Hays' (12) score of eighty-eight at the Sectional meet which qualified her for Regionals, and their triumph over conference rival Chesterton. "I thought we had a decent season, though we probably could have done better. All in all, it was a fun season," said Maloney.

The Lady Bulldogs golf team started practicing the first of August at Oak Knoll. Trying to better their scores, the girls practiced Monday through Friday, playing nine holes a day plus practiced additional putting and chipping.

-Dave Patti

"During a conference meet against the Michigan City Wolves, I was helping a Michigan City golfer find her ball on the seventh hole at Oak Knoll. Then all of a sudden, I lost my balance and fell down a somewhat steep hill. It was very embarrassing for me."

-Jessica Ohlenkamp(9)



## Chipping away

"I couldn't believe I shot an 88 (at sectionals) let alone shooting below 90. I was hoping I would break 100 and I did. I plan to play golf for the rest of my life. Maybe not on a team, but I'll play." Nikki Hays (12)



## Covering the links

Being named MVP was a great honor... My father and grandfather helped me improve, but if I had to name one person that helped me the most, it would be my sister Beth. We both are very competitive and basically I played better just so I could beat her." -Annie Sabato (12).

### *Setting up a hit*

Dean Costakis (11) sets up for an overhead smash at the Highland match. Dean started playing on the team during his freshman year.



## Boys TENNIS

### *Scorebox...*

Andrean	4-1	Portage	2-3
Lake Central	2-3	Chesterton	5-0
West Lafayette	0-5	East Chicago	5-0
Lafayette Jeff	4-1	Valparaiso	0-5
Michigan City	5-0	LaPorte	3-2
Hobart	4-1	Lowell	4-1
Highland	4-1	K.V.	5-0
Merrillville	3-2	Munster	2-3

### *Placing the ball*

Reaching for power. Zack Weeks (11) serves the ball to his opponent during the Portage match where the team lost 2-3. Zack played number three singles for the team. He started playing part time on the varsity squad during his sophomore year and stepped up to play full time to fill an empty varsity role.



### *Serving up the ball*

Setting up. Tim Kacmar (10) gets ready to serve an ace at the Merrillville match. The team defeated the Pirates 3-2. Tim was voted All Conference in the DAC.



### *Returning the ball*

Joe Kiefer (12) smashes the ball at the Portage match. Joe was also a member of the varsity wrestling team.



# Boys' Tennis

*Team wins Sectional title 7th year in a row, goes 126 in regular season play*

With twelve wins this season and six tough losses, the boys' tennis team challenged the outstanding Griffith team to a Sectional championship. For the seventh consecutive year in a row the team ran away with the Sectional title and went 5-2 in the Duneland Athletic Conference (DAC). Coach May said he was extremely happy with the teams' progress. "The ups of the season were a final dual match record of 12-6 and the school's first fall sports sectional championship," he said.

Carl Zurbriggen (12) also thought the season was a great success. "I think everyone on the team worked to the best of their ability and did a fantastic job," he said.

*Staying on his toes*  
Chris Spohr (12) returns a deep serve in the match against Michigan City. The team shut out their opponents by winning all five matches.

In addition to the sectional win, Joe Kiefer (12) and Carl managed to capture the Highland Doubles Tournament as

well. Joe said that he will never forget that moment.

Coach May also reported that the boys used the Taft Courts due to poor and unsafe conditions of the home courts. "The disappointment was not winning the Regionals and not having the high school's tennis courts to practice and play on." The team was defeated by Munster in the first round at the Regionals.

Coach May said the funniest thing that happened all season was when Carl injured his groin muscle in the Twist Contest at the Lake County Fair.

—Bobby Peterson

**"A**t LaPorte it came down to one match. It was tied 2-2. It went down to 3 sets, and our guys finally won. In all of the excitement of congratulating my teammates and celebrating, I left all of my tennis gear at LaPorte. I finally realized it when we got home."

—Andy Liss (12)



## Adding topspin

"I think everyone on the team worked to the best of their ability and did a fantastic job this season. I played tennis this year because I love the sport and many of my friends are on the team." —Carl Zurbriggen (12)



## Striking a blow

"I expected to definitely win sectionals (which we did) and I knew it was going to be difficult, but I really thought we had a chance to beat Munster for the regionals, but we didn't." —Andy Liss (12)

# VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

*Varsity wins 'Superior Squad' trophy, individual members place as All Stars*

Attending workshops and competitions in the summer and cheering through two seasons of sports kept the cheerleading squads busy. "The season is really long, so by the end of the year, we're all frustrated," said Angela Heinzman (10).

**"At camp we had a 'rap off' where every team made a rap and did it in front of the camp. The J.V. girls had found a cockroach in their room the night before, so they wrote the whole rap about it. Our coach even came and wore a hat sideways and danced."**

**-Angela Heinzman (10)**

The cheerleaders practice one or two times a week plus attend a mandatory gymnastics class. In addition, they compete throughout the year. During the summer the girls attended UCA camp at Indiana University in Bloomington. While there, they picked up a superior squad trophy, and Brie Connor (12) and Kristine Rasmussen (9) were named UCA Allstars.

"We got all kinds of blue ribbons at the summer camp too," said Jenna Rasmussen (11).

In the Fall, the team traveled to Great America for a competition, and placed 7th. In addition, at the Indianapolis Cheer Regional in early November the girls placed, but not in the top three. "We did the best performance we've ever done at the regionals," said Heinzman.

In March, Midwest Cheer held its annual competition at Valparaiso University. The girls finished in second place in Large Varsity, just behind Lake Central. Also,

Kristine Rasmussen (9) placed 2nd overall in the individual competition. Although she was on the freshmen squad, she competed at the varsity level during the competition.

**--Kyle LeGrecco**

## *Using Teamwork*

Performing the arabesque stunt, Megan Carnahan (12) and Audrey Metros (10) trust that their teammates won't let them down. The girls performed the same stunt for competition

## *Dancing Excitement*

"First I'm tired, but after we start warming-up and practice, it's fun. The excitement of the game and competitions are fun. The more exciting the games, the more energy you have."

**-Melissa Burke (11)**



## *Filled with Excitement*

"It's exciting to cheer on the weekends. I love to perform our cheers and mounts at the quarters and to see our crowd involved in the games. These games are great because you are so involved in the game and you want to cheer the best."

**-Shannon Flemming (11)**





## *Going Airborne*

Megan Carnahan (12) soars in the air during a time-out cheer. Megan started to cheer in fifth grade. (left)



## *Riding in Style*

Bulldog cheerleaders Jennifer Kaltunas, Audrey Metros, Beth Jamison, Jamie Callow, and Jenna Rasmussen ride in the Homecoming parade. The girls cheered the team to a win in the evening.



## *Building a Pyramid*

Audrey Metros (10), Megan Carnahan (12) and Melissa Burke (11) top the pyramid at the Homecoming Pep Rally. The girls performed for the student body after the team introductions.



## *Cheering Loudly*

Yelling "Go, Go" the varsity squad pumps up the crowd with their moves at the Merrillville game. The boys' basketball team lost the game.

## *Showing Spirit*

Yelling at the top of her lungs, Brie Connor (12) cheers after a basket. Brie was named All Star Cheerleader at UCA camp. (left)

### *Finishing a Pyramid*

Freshman Heather Burke, Kristine Rasmussen, and Jessica Ohlenkamp hold up Kelly Manfred during a boys' freshman basketball game. There were no male cheerleaders, so the girls spotted each other.

### *Passing Out Candy*

During the Homecoming parade, Jamie Larson and Stephanie Kampick (10) pass out candy. Jamie and the rest of the cheerleading squad got the school rallied up before the game, during the pep assembly.

### *Riding Around*

Megan Makerak, Kristin Kallison, and Nicole Makerak ride around in the back of a car during the homecoming parade. The cheerleaders played a big part in putting the parade together and getting the town motivated.

### *Keeping Balance*

Freshmen Jamie Pierce, Heather Burke, Kelly Manfred, Jessica Ohlenkamp, Kristine Rasmussen, Becky Hamilton, and Becky Gunther form a pyramid. Maintaining balance was very difficult.

### *Watching the Game*

At the freshmen boys basketball game, Jocelyn Ivey, Becky Gunther, Kristine Rasmussen, Jessica Ohlenkamp, and Kelly Manfred prepare to cheer. (center)



# J.V. / FROSH CHEERLEADING

*Freshman finish second in midwest competition J.V. girls move up to Varsity*

Cheering at all of the football and basketball games, and going to numerous competitions was what kept the freshman and junior varsity cheerleaders very busy.

The freshman took home numerous awards, including most improved at Camo UCA, a fourth place finish in the Six Flags Great America Cheer Competition, and second place at Valparaiso University. In addition, Kristine Rasmussen was named as a UCA all star.

"When I was little, my baby sitter was a C.P. cheerleader, and she always made it sound like

## *Creating a Stir*

Sarah Roth (9) pumps up the crowd at a freshman basketball game with a cheer. Sarah has been involved in cheerleading since junior high.

fun. So I tried out and was glad to be part of such a successful group of girls," said Sarah Roth (9). Cheerleading was a good sport for many of the girls be-

cause it taught them how to get along with other people. Kristine Rasmussen (9) said, "Cheerleading has taught me a lot about cooperation, hard work, and dedication. Dedication is definitely the key, because cheerleading is all year round." Cheerleading also took a lot of hard work according to Jocelyn Ivey (9). She said, "It has taught me about how to work my hardest, and to be better at something I love to do."

- Andy Kirk

"I guess one of the funniest things that happened was our Christmas party. Instead of exchanging traditional gifts, we exchanged white elephant gifts. They were all goofy; for example, one girl gave another 52 individually wrapped McDonalds' toys. I thought it was better because it was fun and unique."

-Sarah Roth (9)



## *All About Teamwork*

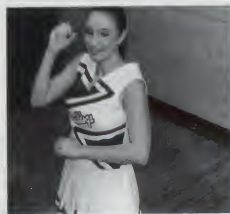
I got interested in cheerleading when my sister was a cheerleader at Taft, and I decided to be in it too. While in cheerleading I learned to work as a team to get things accomplished."

Becky Hamilton (9)

## *Showing Spirit*

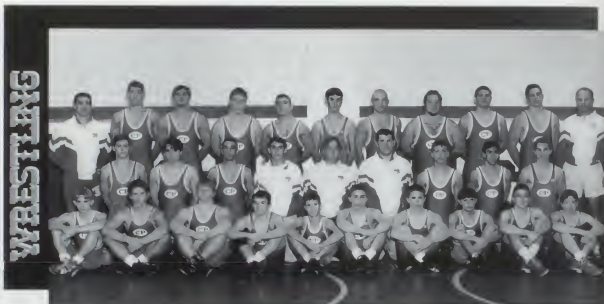
I decided to join cheerleading because I like cheering, and I also like to dance. The reason I like cheerleading so much is because I like to work hard to achieve my goals."

Becky Gunther (9)



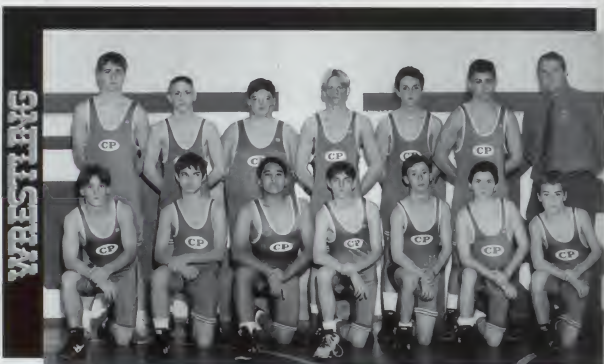
## Varsity

Dan Gillaspie, Scott Ewing, Wayne Postlethwait, Dustin Bates, Brian Mellis, Kevin Wilkinson, Ryan Wilkinson, Jason Schilling, Brian Moke, Bob Myers row 2: Jeremy McMillan, Jeremy Myers, Dave Grove, Alex Billmeier, Steve McCaullly, Woody Kelsey, Dave Vlink, Ryan Morfin, Vince Howard row 3: Coach Todd Sacksteder, Mark Kaiser, Tom Weeks, Tony Schoefel, Bob White, Mike Mulder, Joe Kiefer, Cain Laudermilk, Jason Strong, Chad Kazmerski, Coach Scott Vlink.



## J.V. / Freshman

Chris Thomas, Keith Gorchos, Mike Porras, Matt Helfen, Chris Lynn, Wes Derks, Dave Thomas row 2: Todd Sarnecki, Ryan Olson, Jeremy Dykhuis, Rob Hobson, Chuck Festa, Brian Bauner, Coach Del Kutemier



## J.V. / Varsity

Brandy Hartman, April Henderlong, Krystal Krumwiede, Brittany Hartman row 2: Crystal York, Lisa Cardelis row 3: Courtney Suihira, Beth Jamison, Tracey Ostrowski, Wendy Splitgerber







## Varsity

Dave Clayton, Crystal Cervantes, Kurt Klepsch, Josh Powers, Adam Ligda, Pat Mills, Brad Stone, Nicole Heyl Joe Cervantes row 2: Tony Zezovski, Coach Pettit, Damean Clinton, TJ Pruzin, Josh Huwig, John Moench, Chris Westforth, Nick Patterson, Kevin Knaga, Jim Nickovich, Coach Art Equihua, Coach Tom Johnson

BASKETBALL



## J.V.

Dave Clayton, Ricky Smith, Jim Nickovich, T.J. Pruzin, Pat Mills, Tom Bohling, Austin Szalmasagi, row 2: Coach Pettit, Kevin Sparks, David Reed, Josh Zacher, Jon Moskovich, Joe Rukas, Coach Art Equihua.

BASKETBALL



## Freshmen

Derek Lusk, Justin Miller, Nate Reilly, Aaron Kennedy, Brian Hiller, Justin Smith, K.C. Klepsch row 2: Coach Zezovski, Mike Knaga, Dan Knaga, Sean Cole, Bryan Cuculich, Mike Shimkus, Bryce Segert, Eric Mikuta, Bret Govert, Dan Smith

BASKETBALL

# VARSITY WRESTLING

*Guys takes team sectional, send  
five to semi-state, two  
to state finals*

"We were a very young team this year but we had a lot of talent," said Cain Lauder milk (12). This was the general overview of the Varsity Wrestling team.

Coach Vlink pulled five freshmen up into the

varsity room. Brian Mellis, Kevin Wilkinson, Ryan Wilkinson, David Vlink, and Tony Schoefel moved up to the varsity team. The older members of the team thought the younger guys made the team stronger.

"Kevin Wilkinson (9) was a great addition by gaining a sectional championship and

qualifying for the state tournament," said Dave Grove (12). Kevin was the first freshman in Crown Point history to qualify for the state meet.

The team also gained a sectional championship, but was defeated by state runner-up team Portage in the regionals. Crown Point also sent varsity wrestler Mark Kaiser to the semi-state meet. Mark lost a heartbreaker in a sudden death match at semi-state, but took fourth place qualifying him for the state tournament. In addition, five other varsity wrestlers placed in the top

*Lift up for Victory*

Mark Kaiser (12) is pronounced the winner against his opponent. Mark qualified for semi-state and led the team in varsity wins. (below)

-Justin Schutz

"One funny thing that happened was after a hard practice Mark Kaiser was showing off in front of the basketball players. Mark was flexing all of his muscles. Suddenly he turned red and just passed out and fell right on his face. He just fell on the concrete like a brick for no reason."

-Cain Lauder milk (12)

## *Securing a Lift*

"It was a great experience to have the opportunity to be a freshman wrestling on the varsity mats. It's very rare that any freshman will see varsity time his first year of high school."

-David Vlink (9)

## *Breaking his Opponent*

"Jae Rudrigeuz was one of my harder opponents. He originally was 103, but he bumped to 112. I lost to Jae 16-7, but he had to earn that."

-Jason Schilling (11)





### *Standing Ground*

Dave Grove (12) prepares an attack on his Portage opponent. Dave was the only three year letter winner on the team.

## VARSITY WRESTLING

### *Scorebox...*

Lake Station	41-24	Carnahan	37-24
S.B Riley	30-33	La Porte	40-22
Lawrence N.	9-58	Hobart	24-47
Roosevelt	72-6	Proviso	48-16
Mishawaka	42-28	Valpo	26-32
Chesterton	39-34	Portage	22-43
Stagg	9th	DAC	5th
Michigan City	42-23	Sectional	1st
Merrillville	38-27		



### *Sinking a Nail*

Jeremy Myers (11) sets up to pin his adversary in the Merrillville match. Jeremy filled a tough varsity role at the 145 pound class. Jeremy joined the team during his freshman year. (left)



### *Fighting the Double Leg*

Ryan Morfin (12) traps his opponent's head to try to put him out of position. Ryan traded within his weight class all year. (center)

### *Lifting his Opponent*

Bob White (12) successfully completes a high crotch. Bob won his weight class at the difficult Culver Tournament and won twenty-six matches.

### *Working a Tilt*

Tony Schofel (9) moves his opponent into a pinning position. Tony had a total of five first place medals and a varsity letter his freshman year.

## J.V./ FROSH WRESTLING

### *Scorebo.x...*

Chesterton	34-48
Washington	33-40
LaPorte	36-42
Riley	27-58
Misawaka	18-60
Jimtown	15-64
Chesterto	52-23
Portage	3-68
Michigan City	51-12
Valparasio	21-51
Riley	27-58
Jimtown	15-64

### *Getting Advice*

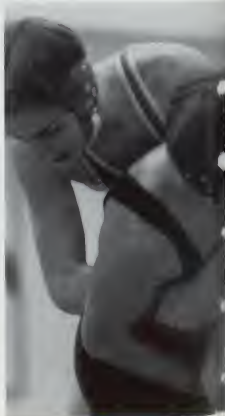
Jeremy Meyers (11) receives a couple useful words of advice while trying to catch his breath from Coach Del Kutemeier. Jeremy switched back and forth from J.V. to varsity.

### *Stop a Single Leg*

Chris Lynn (9) puts the squeeze on his opponent. Chris hoped to fill a varsity spot next year.

### *Applying Pressure*

Matt Helfen (9) halts his opponent from putting him on his back. Matt's body locked his foe eventually getting a reversal. (center)





# J.V./FROSH WRESTLING

"It was a big change from junior high school to freshman wrestling," said Kevin Wilkinson (9).

Coach Del Kutemeier quickly took the freshman from two-hour, strenuous practices to their first tournament at North Montgomery. "Going out Friday night was virtually useless because we had to be up by 5 o'clock in the morning," said Jay Means (9). "All of the early mornings and long practices eventually paid off," said Dave Thomas (9).

Brian Bauner (9) led the team with 30 victories and three tournament championships. Tony Schoefel put up 25 wins and five first-place medals. "It helped me out a lot that I had the privilege to workout in the varsity

*Getting a Head-tie*  
Tom Sarnecki (9) gets ready to throw a snap-down, as he receives instructions from Coach Kutemeier. In freshman wrestling a lot was learned on the mat.



*Team wins first sectional of decade, sends two to state level competition*

room," said Tony Schoefel (9). Other big winners were Chris Lynn (9) with 18 wins, Dave Thomas, with 17 wins, and Keith Gorchos, with 14 wins.

Trying a shot at the varsity mats were Brian Mellis (9), Kevin Wilkinson (9), Ryan Wilkinson (9), David Vlink (9), and Tony Schoefel (9) all of which lettered their first year of wrestling. Kevin Wilkinson (9) made school history when he qualified for the state tournament making him the first Crown Point freshman to compete at the state meet. - Justin Schutz

*"The funniest thing that happened during wrestling was when a teammate had to wrestle with a girl at the Staggs Tournament held in Merrillville. When he was picked to wrestle her in the first round, he freaked out. He knew if he lost he would be made fun of forever."*  
-Kevin Wilkinson (9)

## *Controlling Hands*

It was important to control your opponents hands and just watch his hips. You could tell which way he'd shoot or turn. My freshman year, I learned the small things that most don't pickup.-Keith Gorchos (9)



## *Ready for a Switch*

Learning a switch was a more advanced move if you ever got in trouble. That was the good thing about freshman wrestling: you pickup moves most freshmen don't.  
-Brian Bauner (9)



# GIRLS' GYMNASTICS

*Team defeats two rival teams for first time, meets goals as well*

Having an up and down year with a young members, the gymnastics team had their work cut out for them. Some felt they actually had their best season in many years. "This year began as a turnaround for us in gymnastics. We are starting to make a comeback. Skills have

been upgraded in routines. We are also becoming stronger as a team," said Coach Paula Luedtke.

The team met all of their goals, according to Brandy Hartman (11), which were to beat LaPorte, and Michigan City. Many

of the girls met many of their personal goals as well. "Some of my personal goals this year were to throw a twisting vault, and to strengthen my bar skills, and routine. I also wanted this to be my strongest season since its

my senior year, and I felt like it was," said Tracy Ostroski (12)

"We actually won a few meets this year, so I was happy, but attendance at practice was bad, so we could have done better. I also thought we would win more than we did last year, and we did," said Lisa Kardelis (11).

"I think everyone did really good. We all tried our best, and had fun. Another good thing about this year was that we won two meets; something that hasn't been done in three years," said Courtney Suihra (9).

When all was said and done, and the awards were passed out,

Courtney Suihra (9) was named team Most Valuable Player for the season because she was the most consistent member of the team, according to the statistics.

-Andy Kirk

## *Up Up and Away*

Finishing a tumbling series, Beth Jamison (11) finishes a floor exercise. This was Beth's third year in gymnastics. She planned to finish a four year program in gymnastics. (below)

**"T**wo of the best things that happened was that we had fun and we won two meets. That's something that hasn't been done in three years. The first win was the best. It was very exciting."

-Lisa Cardelis (11)

## *Starting a Flip*

"I was really very proud of us all on the gymnastics team. We worked hard at our meets and tried really hard to win more than one meet this year. The best thing was that we did it and won two of four meets."

Brittany Hartman (11)

## *Warning - up a Little*

"I thought our team did well this season. This was the fourth year for me on the high school team and this was our strongest team in those four years."

-Tracey Ostrowski (12)





### *Balance Testing*

On the beam, Brandy Hartman(11) shows her balancing ability. Brandy said her most memorable moment was when she finally mastered a move she had been trying to learn for three years.

## GIRLS GYMNASTICS

### *Scorebox...*

Valparaiso	87-107	Elk Central	91-93
LaPorte	84-79	Mich City	89.8-89
Chesterton	83-110	Merrillville	81-107
Portage	90-102	Lowell	89-95
Hobart	86-96	Laf. Jeff	77-79

### *Completing a Flip*



As the judges watch from the sidelines, Brandy Hartman (11) shows her strength and balance on the horse. Brandy was one of the most versatile competitors on the team competing in several of the gymnastics events in each meet. Brandy shared the spotlight with her twin sister. Both were high scorers for the team.



### *Defying Gravity*

At a meet, Lynn Kaiser (10) does a jump during her beam routine. This was Lynn's second year in gymnastics.

### *Scissor Kicking*

Courtney Svihra (9) does a beam exercise in the meet against Michigan City. Courtney said she joined gymnastics because she enjoys the sport, and has fun doing it. (center)

## *Hauling It In*

Grabbing the rebound, John Moench (11) outreaches his opponents. John played a strong defensive game.

## VARSITY BASKETBALL

Hammond Gavitt  
Boone Grone  
Kankakee Vally  
Lowell  
Portage  
Hobart  
Chesterton  
LaPorte  
Calumet  
Michigan City  
Munster  
Merrillville  
E.C. Central

83-51  
59-50  
73-56  
74-52  
72-56  
68-58  
79-62  
54-58  
52-33  
55-67  
68-34  
47-54  
46-76

## *Scorebox...*

Valporaiso 56-59  
Hobart 77-61  
Roosevelt 72-56  
Chesterton 40-48  
Griffith 67-61  
Lake Central 63-69  
Highland 64-63  
*Sectionals*  
Lowell 75-36  
Merrillville 60-49  
*Regionals*  
Hammond High 61-56  
*Semi-State*  
Marion 63-76



## *Going For a Layup*

Stopping short of a layup, Dameon Clinton (11) shoots a highly contested jump shot in the game against Griffith. Dameon was one of the players named to the *Times* All-Conference second team. This was Dameon's second year on the varsity team, but only his first year as a starter.



## *Scratch and Scrape*

Kurt Klepsch (11) plays heads-up defense on his Griffith opponent. Kurt won honorable mention on the *Times* All-Area team.



## *Leaping in the Air*

Jim Nickiovich (11) catches the ball in mid air and tries to finish a fast break opportunity. Jim was also a member of the football team. (center)





# VARSITY BASKETBALL

*Team wins first sectional this decade,  
takes regional, goes to the finals in  
semi-state*

The basket ball team had a great year. They had an up, and down regular season despite winning their first eight in a row. Their conference record was only 3-4. Despite their record, they came into the playoffs ready to play.

In the first game of the sectional, the team knocked out Lowell easily 75-36. In the next round of they played Merrillville, and team that had given them problems for years. They beat Merrillville in dramatic fashion taking the sectional title for the first time since 1986.

In the regional, they played heavily favored Hammond High. Together, the two teams

**Concentration**  
Keeping his concentration on the basket, Nick Patterson (12) shoots a free throw. Nick also earned the honor of being named to the All-Conference team.

produced a nail-biting match up, but the 'Dogs eventually prevailed. They next traveled to semi-state to play the Giants of Marion at

Mackey Arena.. It was a close game most of the way, but unfortunately the team ran out of gas in the final quarter, and ended up loosing the game by 13 points to end their season.

"I thought it was, an outstanding year, and we accomplished most of our goals," said Dameon Clinton (11).

At the end of the season Coach Tom Johnson was named the Times Coach of the Year.

and Chris Westforth (12) . Dameon Clinton (11), Kurt Klepsch (11), and Nick Patterson (12) were named to various All Area teams. -Andy Kirk

**"T**he funniest thing that happened all year was when we were playing Portage, and a teammate took this kid, and threw him to the floor, and went off on him. It was the first time I've ever been on a team where somebody threw somebody else to the ground, but what else would you expect from the 'Big Nasty'!" -Brad Stone (11)



## Tipping Off

The last game of the season when we beat Highland on a last-second shot was huge. That gave us momentum going into the tourney, and showed we could win in a close situation." Chris Westforth (12).

## Reaching Out

We had a great year, and a lot of fun because most of the year we were the 'underdogs'. We surprised a lot of people throughout the year by getting to Semi-state." Kevin Knaga (11)



## Freshmen

Rebecca Hamilton, Becky Guenther, Jessica Ohlenkamp, Kelly Manfred row 2: Jocelyn Ivey, Kristine Rasmussen, Sarah Roth, Heather Burke, Jaime Pierce.

CHEERLEADER



## Varsity

Kelly Mace, Gail Weibaker, Kelly O'Brien, Katey Marsh, Jennifer Sanders, Sarah Little, Amy Steinberg row 2: Michelle Carlson, Jennifer Kutanovski, Beth Tully, Allyson Carnahan, Shannon Myers, Danielle Tovsen, Katie Lemke, Sarah Gourley, Amanda Lara, Kristen Thiel row 3: Coach Jacobs, Coach May, Coach Hamilton, Coach Swift, Coach Malaski, Coach Reid.

BASKETBALL



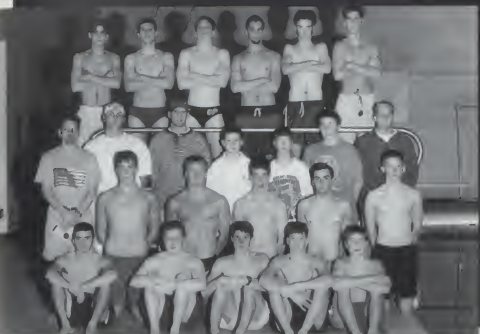
## Girls

Jessalyn Dixon, Amy Klaas, Audra Rimkus, Joy Longfellow, Kristin Hoffman, Lauren Surber, Stephanie Thithof row 2: Carry Andersen, Bethany Homrich, Jen Dienes, Katherine Lohman, Raquel Borchert, Mandy Boardman, Jen Koscielniak, Wendy Ellingsen row 3: Coach Norris, Mr. Butcher, Mr. Gleason, Jessica Bannister, Karen Smith, Lisa Wheeler, Wendy Splitgerber, Beth Jensen row 4: Valerie Bush, Ericka Nance, Katie Gora, Jessica Nance, Brooke Homrich, Stacey Rimkus, Katy Bieker, Mary Borys

Gymnastics



# Gymnastics



## Boys'

Ron Villareal, John Kerbs, Kyle Springman, Tim Samples, Matt Searece, row 2: Don Andersen, Andy Wheeler, Chris Stanek, Charles Asher, Bill Schmidt, row 3: Mr. Norris, Mr. Butcher, Mr. Gleason, Adam James, Ryan Manuaring, Allen Laney, Steve Poulaski, row 4: Nick Mathias, Ryan Smith, Pat Schmidt, Brian Simkins, Tom Rock, Chris Shoemaker.

## J.V.



# Basketball

Amanda Bernard, Valerie Schuetzler, Rhannon Hubinger, Heather Mann, Lindsey Nelson, Sarah Zondor, Erin Plumley row 2: Katie Reid, Nikki Borys, Maureen Serlich, Katie Zelms, Lindsay Dennison, Sarah Douglas, Christina Douglas, Erica Byrd row 3: Coach Jacobs, Coach May, Coach Hamilton, Coach Swift, Coach Malaski, Coach Reid.

## Frosh



# Basketball

Courtney Serlich, Kathy Kutanovski, Ashley Mattox, Victoria Liss, Laura Warne, Chrissy Sanford, Carissa Klingberg, row 2 Kira Whitlock, La'lea Harvey, Kristin Ross Rachel Pavouick, Katie Chelap, Kim Podowski, Jenny Mayhard, Katie Kurovski, row 3: Coach Jacobs, Coach May, Coach Hamilton, Coach Swift, Coach Malaski, Coach Reid



# JV/FROSH BASKETBALL

*Junior varsity basketball team  
places fourth in conference,  
freshmen gain experience*

Under the coaching of Chip Pettit, the junior varsity boys' basketball team had a successful season winning well over half of their games. Mark Bohling (10) said, "This season was awesome because I got a lot of experience for next year by playing on the J.V. team."

"During a practice after a horrible performance the night before, Coach Pettit was mad at us so we had a hard practice and at the end of practice we had to run sprints. Eric Mikuta didn't feel so good and blew chunks all over the floor and his shoes. Everyone on the team thought it was hilarious."  
-Justin Smith (9)

The team won 4 out of their 8 conference games, ten of their non-conference games, and came in fourth in the Duneland Athletic conference. T.J. Pruzin (9) was happy with the season. He said, "This season was really fun because I got experience on the junior varsity level and it helped

me out a lot. By the end of the season, I was dressing for the varsity team during the tournament time."

Pat Mills said, "This season was a lot of fun because I played junior varsity and got a chance to dress and play a little bit of varsity which gave me a little bit of experience for next season."

The freshman team had an exceptionally good season according to coach Tony Zezovski. Coach Zezovski said, "Some of the kids that I had on the team this year will have great success on the junior varsity and the varsity level. It will be really enjoyable watching the kids improve."

-Bobby Peterson

## Concentration Counts

In the game against Munster, Justin Miller (9) prepares to shoot a free throw. Justin also played on the football team.

## Stealing the Ball

"I got a lot of experience this season on the junior varsity level that will improve my game for next season."  
-Mark Bohling (10)

## Defending

"I felt that the team was getting closer as the year progressed. My teammates helped me out making me feel like a part of the team."  
-Derick Lusk (9)



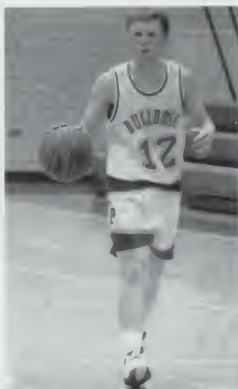




## JV/FROSH BASKETBALL

## Scorebox...

Gavit	41-29	Merrillville	24-50
Boone Grove	48-33	E.C. Central	61-69
K.V.	58-47	Valparaiso	40-21
Lowell	53-44	Hobart	61-39
Portage	41-19	Gary Roosevelt	44-36
<i>Holiday Fray</i>	3rd	Chesterton	39-34
La Porte	34-53	Griffith	48-35
Calumet	52-36	Lake Central	34-51
Michigan City	36-41	Highland	39-40
Munster	37-25		



### *Laying it In*

Bryan Cuculich (9) goes up for a lay-up during the Munster game. Bryan also starts on the boys' freshman baseball team. (center)

### *Dribbling Down*

Setting up the play, K.C. Klepich (9) dribbles the ball down court during the Merrillville game. K.C. was also on the freshman football team. (left)



### *Teaming Up*

Pat Mills (11) and Mark Bohling (10) work together to prevent their Chesterton opponent from passing. The guys won the game.

### *Taking a Spill*

Mike Shimkus (9) tosses the ball to the referee after being hammered while attempting to make a lay-up. Mike was a starter on the team.

### *One in One*

Sarah Little (12) shoots a basket after she is fouled. Sarah shot 63 percent from the line and served as a captain.

## **VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL**

### *Scorebox...*

Hebron	36-33	LaPorte	47-30
Andean	46-47	Hobart	46-36
East Chicago	49-32	Lowell	32-28
Munster	36-48	Chesterton	38-41
Warsaw	34-31	Merrillville	48-33
Highland	51-36	Northwood	39-50
Portage	52-48	Penn	37-30
Michigan City	53-38	Valparaiso	18-30
Lake Central	34-52		
Logansport	54-56	Sectionals	
Bloomington S.	62-44	Lowell	38-28
Chi. Fenwick	31-43	Lake Central	30-50

### *Looking for Help*

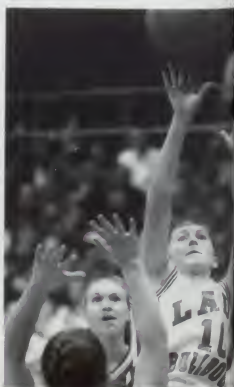
Kelly O'Brian (12) looks to inbound the ball during the Lake Central varsity game. Kelly was on varsity for the last two years and was one of the team's captains. She also ran for the cross country and track teams.

### *Leading the Team*

Entering the gym to the applause of fans, the four captains lead the team through the cheerleaders and dance team. The four captains. The team played Lake Central at home and lost.

### *Off the Ground*

Katey Marsh (12) shoots a jump shot in the Lake Central game. She also won the teams MVP award and was a captain. (cetner)



# GIRLS' V. BASKETBALL

Hoping to have a repeat of last season's trip to the state championship, the girl's basketball team was full of hopes and dreams according to Coach Tom May. He said the team set many goals "We wanted the girls to play up to their potential, both mentally and physically," said Coach May. To prepare the girls, Coach May said, "I scouted the team, reviewed film of the team, broke down strengths and weaknesses, and prepared our team to play to our strengths and stay away from our weaknesses."

Finishing above .500 and earning a 13-9 record, *Fighting Back* the team defeated rivals Merrillville and Portage. "When we played up to our potential, we could compete with any other team in the state," said guard Beth Tully (11). The girls shot an average of

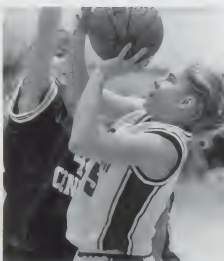
*Team tangles with tough competition, wins sectional opener against Highland*

44 times per game and shot an amazing 31 percent from the field.

The team made it to the sectional championship by defeating Highland in the opener. In the finals they ran into a tough Lake Central team. Even though the girls lost, they played their hearts out. "Everyone worked very hard," said Sarah Little, (12).

Amy Steinberg (12) won the mental attitude award, and Katey Marsh (12), the MVP. The teams leadership award went to seniors Sarah Little, Katey Marsh, Jennifer Sanders, and Gail Weibaker for their outstanding court guidance according to Coach May. -Kyle LoGrecio

**"W**hen we played in Chicago, a fuse blew out at the gym before one of our games. The game was cancelled, and the fire department had to come to check on the fuse."  
- Beth Tully (11)



## Looking for a Shot

I was an experience splitting time between the junior varsity and varsity teams. At first I was scared to play on varsity team, but gradually I understood the offense and I felt more comfortable after I played. -Katie Lemke (10)



## Going for Possession

I was a senior and it was important for me to finish on top. I felt free-throws were important, so I practiced every day. I played as hard as I could and always put in 100 percent. -Gail Weibaker

# J.V./FROSH BASKETBALL

*J.V. wins Penn Shoot Out,  
freshmen finish with  
undefeated record*

The girls' junior varsity basketball players had an outstanding season under the coaching of Scott Reid. They finished a pleasing second place in the Duneland Athletic Conference with a 6-1 record. Their overall record was 16-3 experiencing their few losses against conference

rival, Valparaiso twice, and only once more against Lake Central.

"Everyone on the team felt we had a perfect season and will be more experienced next year," said Sarah Douglas (9).

Sarah Zondor (9) played both junior varsity and varsity. "We had fun winning

the Penn Shoot out with a lot of the top teams from around the state," said Sarah.

The freshman team had an unbelievable season under Coach Chrissy Pepa. They finished their season with a flawless record, defeating all of their opponents. "This was probably the most talented and fun group of girls that I have ever coached and will be looking forward to watching them in the years to come," said Coach Pepa. "This being my first year I was amazed at how well we did and got along with each other. "I was glad to be part of this undefeated team. Not only because we did so good, but also because everyone got along good together and worked hard," said Laura Warne (9).

*Pushing up court*

Drizzling past a Lady Pirate, Kathy Kutanovski (9) drives toward the basket. Kathy also played on the girls' varsity soccer team. (below)

-Dave Patti

**"B**efore the Valparaiso game Sarah Douglas, Christina Douglas, and Katie Zelms sang the Star Spangled Banner for the freshman team. They sounded so terrible it was funny, and everyone was laughing at them. Kristen Ross dropped the water container all over the gym floor.

-Kathy Kutanovski (9)

## *Knitting the board*

"I just wanted to go out on the court and play every game with all my heart and a lot of determination. I loved to compete against good teams like Lake Central." -Vicky Liss (9)

## *Looking to pass*

"It was easy to contribute to a team that was as good as this year's team. We were undefeated and that was great." -Courtney Certich (9)







### *In Deep Thought*

Taking a deep breath, Cristina Douglas (9) throws a freethrow. Cristina's twin sister Sarah also played.

### **J.V./FROSH BASKETBALL**

### *Scorebox...*

Hebron	44-22	Lake Central	41-28
Andrean	35-28	LaPorte	33-23
E.C. Central	38-10	Hobart	49-29
Munster	32-30	Lowell	45-22
Warsaw	37-17	Chesterton	26-19
Highland	39-26	Merrillville	39-14
Portage	50-30	North Wood	30-21
Michigan City	34-16	Penn	35-28
Lake Central	41-28	Valparaiso	23-29
Valparaiso	33-35		

### *Total Concentration*

In an attempt to hit a free throw in the game against Merrillville, Valarie Schweitzer (9) aligns herself with the basket. The team defeated the Pirates 39-14 on the home court. Valarie played on the junior varsity team as a freshman, which was unusual.

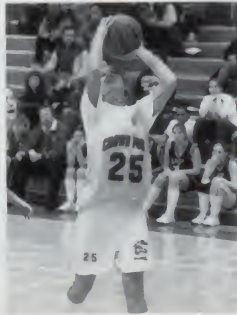


### *Making Her Move*

Taking it to the basket, Laura Warne (9) tries to stay in control of the ball. Laura scored the two against the Lady Pirates.

### *Crashing the Board*

Grabbing the rebound, Kristen Ross (9) rises above her Merrillville opponents. Kristen also played volleyball. (center)



## Diving Down

Lisa Wheeler (10) performs a dive during the Valparaiso meet. Lisa has been diving for the past two seasons.



## GIRLS SWIMMING

### Scorebox...

Lake Central	79-109	Michigan City	96-90
Hobart	127-67	Munster	89-97
Chesterton	87-99	Hobart	127-67
La Porte	76-109	Rensselaer	116-70
Valpo	74-112	Highland Invite	4th
Lowell	104-82	<i>5A CG Meet</i>	
Highland	111-75	LaPorte	3rd
Merrillville	104-82	<i>Sectional</i>	
Portage	125-61	Lake Central	2nd
Griffith	114-71		

## Gliding Freely

Allyson Vetter (10) glides through the water during the Lake Central meet. Allyson was a sectional qualifier in the 200-yard IM, and in the 100 yard butterfly.



## Breaking the Water

Sliding through the water, Mary Bores (12) makes a wake during the Michigan City meet. Mary has swam on varsity for four years in the 100-yard freestyle and in the 100-yard breaststroke.



## Making Waves

Carrie Anderson (11) swims the backstroke during the Merrillville meet. Carrie is one of the teams distance swimmers, and also has been on the team since she was a freshman. (center)



# GIRLS' SWIMMING

*Team qualifies for state competition in 9 out of 12 events, send two relay teams*

The difference between ordinary and extraordinary was that little extra effort that served as the Girls' Swimming Team motto.

The team placed third in the Duneland Athletic Conference and second in sectionals. Assistant Coach Mike Cassey said, "Every swimmer was at or near their best time for the conference meet." Katie Gora (11) won sectionals, and conference in the 500-yard freestyle. Katie said, "The best thing that happened to me was setting the school record in the 500 freestyle at sectionals."

Jessica Nance (11) won a first at the sectionals in the 100-yard butterfly and came in 5th at state.

## Making a Wake

Jen Koscielniak (10) swims the 100 yard breaststroke at the Lake Central sectional Meet. Jen is also a distance swimmer. (below)

She broke records in the same butterfly event at the Valparasio and Highland meets. She was also named *Times Athlete of the Week*. Also, Erika Nance (10) won sectionals

in the 50-yard and 100-yard freestyle.

The girls sent two relay teams to state. The 400-yard freestyle relay, which consisted of Jessica Frank (12), Susan Hrapcak (10), Jessica Nance (10), and Ericka Nance (9), came in 20th. The 200-yard freestyle relay team consisted of Katie Bieker (10), Susan Hrapcak (10), Katie Gora (11), Jessica Nance (10) and came in 22nd. The team also sent swimmers to state in 8 of 12 other events. Katie Bieker said, "It was awesome going to state, especially because I'm only a freshman." - Bobby Peterson

**T**he funniest thing that happened this season was when Coach Norris would dress up in a different, strange costume for each one of our meets. The best part was seeing the other teams reaction to the weird outfits that he would put on for show.

-Katie Gora (11)



## Stretching Out

"This season was awesome because I won sectionals in the 100 freestyle and in the 50 free. This qualified me to go down to the state meet in Indianapolis." -Ericka Nance (9)

## Taking a Breath

"This season was so cool because I was one of the team captains and I got to help motivate the team before some of the meets." -Jessica Bannister (12)

## Varsity

Sheila Eriks, Ashley Highsmith, Rachel Rampack, Jessica Orchowski, Monica Huelat, Shannon Korzeniewski row 2: Stephanie Plummer, Leslie Huelat, Valerie Bush, Megan Renner, Jennifer Skidmore row 3: Coach Cheryl Miller, Angela James, Lindsey Ciocchina, Kathleen Lambert, Amber Volk, Pam Partak

Varsity Dance Team



## J.V

Sarah Steiger, Kate Sarbiewski, Rachel Bickel, Jen Wisor, Tiffany Skekloff row 2: Ashley Kaster, Elizabeth Schmitz, Lauren Hostinsky, Lindsey Cox, Christina Leyva row 3: Coach Cheryl Miller, Hilary Landis, Jamie Peterson, Patty Korzeniewski, Amber Walters

J.V Dance Team



## Varsity

Kim Paulauski, Theresa Fredericks, Stacy Rimkus, Natalie Barenie, Angela James, Debbie Thompson, Brandy Hartman, Beth Sabato row 2: Courtney Solihra, Sarah Shop, Natalie Nix, Sara Chandler, Lisa Wheeler, Karen Smith, Nicci Lambert, Valerie Schuettler row 3: Renee Ullmann, Anne Balinas, Coach George Tachtaris, Coach Ken Witt, Coach Don Zalaiah, Kelly O'Brien, Bethany Chandler row 4: Jill Jones, Debbie Modrowski, Lindsey Ciocchina, Kelti Heim, Carolyn Taylor, Elizabeth Thompson, Tasha Beauchamp, Jen Dienes row 5: Sarah Little, Lauren Erickson, Ashley Rhodes, La'kea Harvey, Kathleen Lambert, Amber Hillegonds, Sarah Zic, Amy Wall, Meg Riester

Varsity Track Team







TRACK

## J.V. / Varsity

Brad Bonich, Tom Chirillo, John Slanina, Chris Thomas, Scott Qualizza, Al Guillen, Tony Barringer, Jeff Svihra, Doug Schatzman row 2: Kevin Feder, Joe Kiefer, Scott Reimer, William Fredericks, Steve Marshall, Nick Wirtz, Adam Fauth, Ryan Angerman, Jim Walsh, Scott Ewing, row 3: Coach Keith Iddings, Coach Laffey, Armontrout, Phil Poulton, Greg Spadoni, Craig Bonaccorsi, Chris Horst, Jeremy McMillen, Charles Mullins, Justin Jacob, Coach Dennis Bunda row 4: John Carroll, Nick Paulauski, Dave Patti, Tom Weeks, Dan Quering, Derek Heschler, Ryan Tracy, Andy Wheeler, Chris Damyanovic, Adam Miller, Kevin Cornelius row 5: Andy Rosdill, Josh Zacher, Jeff Kaltunas, Bob Kuehl, Pat Schmidt, Ryan Knuston, Jeremy Williams, Kevin Wool, John Moorehead, Pete Rosdill



SOFTBALL

## Varsity

Lindsey Nelson, Kate Hartlerode, Jamie Larsen, Laurie Leonard, Jamie Staniszski, Andrea Claussen row 2: Kiera Smock, Mandi Boardman, Julia Smock, Sarah Zondor, Nicole Frost, Tara Hollar row 3: Coach Donnelly, Christina Douglas, Jacqui Stephens, Josie Koehler, Lindsay Dennison, Sarah Douglas, Coach Ingelhart



SOFTBALL

## J.V.

Jamie Staniszski, Kelly Davis, Bethany Ketcher, Amanda Sprehe, Jamie Pierce row 2: Chriss Sanford, Nicole Frost, Kate Hartlerode, Laurie Leonard, Kristin Hunt, row 3: Coach Jones, Becky Erskine, Jessica Ohlenkamp, Jeanette Rosenvinkle, Shelley Patterson, Coach Chrissy Pepa

# Boys' SWIMMING

*Entire team qualifies for Sectional for first time, relay team competes at state level*

qualifying everyone for the sectional finals for the first time in history, the boys' swimming team ended the season 8-6. In addition, they took four out of six DAC meets and came third at the Duneland Athletic Conference meet. Andy Wheeler and Pat Schmidt were named

conference champions.

At the Lake Central Sectional, Andy Wheeler broke the 100-yard butterfly sectional record to take first place and came in second in the fifty-yard freestyle. During the state meet Andy came in tenth in the butterfly and placed 11th in the freestyle. Andy said, "This season was great. It was awesome

qualifying in four events at State."

In addition, Pat Schmidt placed 9th in the 100-yard breaststroke and came in 10th in the 100 yard freestyle. Pat also broke the sectional record in the breaststroke. Coach Norris said, "The upperclassmen showed great leadership for the younger swimmers and taught them how to swim in the big meets like sectionals and the state meet."

The team's 400-yard freestyle relay team consisted of Andy Wheeler, Tom Rock, Pat Schmidt, and Don Anderson. They came in second place at sectionals. Their time qualified the team for the state meet in Indianapolis where they placed 15th. Tom said, "The best thing about the season was making it down to the state meet as a senior."

- Bobby Peterson

## *Adjusting his Goggles*

Pat Schmidt gets ready to start the 400 free relay against Hobart. Pat came in 9th place at state in the breaststroke and 10th in the freestyle.

"One of the funniest things that happened this season was on the way home from the LaPorte Relays. One of the seniors was mooning cars and mooned an unmarked state trooper. The female trooper then proceeded to pull the bus over."

-Eric Shoemaker (12)

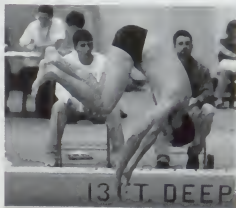
## *Swimming Hard*

I really thought this season was a lot of fun and really exciting. Coach Norris was the best and one of the craziest coaches that I'd ever seen. He was pretty crazy, but it made being on the swimming team a lot more fun. - Ryan Smith (10).



## *Diving Inward*

This season was a lot of fun until my back injury ended a good outlook on as a sectional finalist, and possible state qualifier." -Nick Lukas (12)





### *Rising Out*

Bill Schmidt (9) rises out of the water while competing in the butterfly at the Lowell meet. Bill has been in swimming since fifth grade.



### *Taking a Breather*

During practice, Justin Warren (12) takes a quick rest in between sets. Justin started swimming as a freshman. (above)



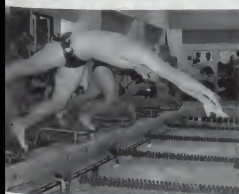
### *Making Waves*

Eric Shoemaker (12) storms through the water in the 200-yard freestyle relay during the Highland meet. The team lost the meet. However, Eric was an alternate at the State for the 200-yard medley relay team which included Andy Wheeler (12), Pat Schmidt (12), Bryan Simpkins (10), and Jeff Mote (10).



### *Counting the Laps*

Ben Rock (9) counts Justin Warren's 500 freestyle laps, which was part of the event. This was Ben's first year on the swimming team. His event was the 200-yard freestyle. (left)



### *Taking a Dive*

For the 100-yard freestyle, Don Anderson (10) flies through the water at the Munster meet. Don qualified for state on the 400-yard freestyle relay which was unusual for a sophomore.

## **Boys' SWIMMING**

## *Scorebox...*

Chesterton	66-120	Hobart	123-62
Valparaiso	91-95	Rennsaler	130-54
Lowell	129-51	Michigan City	136-41
Highland	87-101	Lake Central	67-119
Merrillville	98-88	K.V.	127-56
Portage	118-68	Munster Relay	2nd
Griffith	117-69	Highland Invite	6th
LaPorte	87-99	<i>Footnote</i>	
Munster	84-102	Lake Central	2nd

## Flying High

Finishing their dance, Sheila Eriks (12) and Jennifer Skidmore (11) get airborne. Sheila said, "I'm really going to miss Poms. I've been dancing since junior high."

## DANCE TEAM

### Scorebox...

Varisty			
Concord	1st in Kick	State	1st in Kick
	2nd in Dance		3rd in Dance
	3rd Poms		
Lake Central	1st in Kick	J.V.	
	2nd in Dance	Concord	3rd in Dance
	3rd in Poms	Lake Central	3rd in Dance
Regionals	1st in Kick	Regionals	4th in Dance
	2nd in Dance	State	5th in Dance
	4th in Pom		4th in Pom

### Do a Dance

Lindsey Ciochina (9), Amber Volk (10) Kathleen Lambert (10) concentrate on their next step. They performed "Volcano Girls" at halftime of a basketball game, but also at state, where they received a 3rd place.



### Excepting Honors

Seniors Monica Huelat, Jessica Orchowski, Shannon Korzeniewski, and Sheila Eriks return to the team. The girls received first in Kick, second in Dance, and third in Poms at the Lake Central competition. (right)

### Staying in Sync

During the halftime show, seniors Shannon Korzeniewski and Jessica Orchowski perform along with the other members of the varsity pom squad.





# DANCE TEAM

*Team earns state championship in Kick Division at Indiana State Dance Team Competition*

achieving a 1st in Kick in virtually every competition, the varsity dance team brought home several new trophies. In addition, the team won 2nd place at Concord, Lake Central, and Regional competitions respectively. "Poms has taught me how to work as a team and that if you work hard enough, you can achieve anything," said senior Larissa Shames-Yeakel.

The team also competed at the Indiana State Dance Team Competition placing first in the Kick division again, and 3rd in Dance. Their championship routine was performed to "What I Like About You."

*Striking a Pose*  
Waiting for the music to start, Rachel Rampacek (12), Lindsey Ciochina (9), and Leslie Huelat (10) get into position. The girls performed this routine to "Volcano Girls", by Veruca Salt.

Ashley Highsmith, Monica Huelat, Angela James, and Megan Renner all qualified for All-State honors. These four dancers performed during an Indiana Pacers game at Market Square Arena in Indianapolis. "This was my second year performing on the same floor as the Indiana Pacers, and it was so fun and exciting to dance in front of all of those Pacer fans," said Ashley Highsmith (12).

The junior varsity team also won several awards. They took 3rd in Dance at Concord and Lake Central. They won 4th in Dance at the Regionals and 5th in Dance and 4th in Poms during the state competition. The girls spent the end of the year choreographing a dance for auditions.

- Dave Patti

**D**uring one of our football games, we had to perform on a wet, muddy field. It was an easy routine, so we thought we'd have no problems. Before performing, Monica Huelat thought she was going to fall on a turn. Well on the first turn, she slipped and fell onto the ground.

-Sheila Eriks (12)



## Getting Down

Performances were definitely my favorite part of being on the team. Sometimes the practices got a little rough, but it was all worth it when I got out there at the games and danced my heart out for my classmates."

-Tiffany Skeklof (10)



## Catching Air

The best part of being on the Dance Team I think was performing at competitions and games."

-Sarah Steiger (10)

# GIRLS' TRACK

*Team wins first sectional and regional championship titles, competes at state level*

Having an up and down regular season the girls' track team improved with every meet. They started out their outdoor season by winning 4 of their first 6 meets. However, they then lost 2 of their next 3 to finish out the regular season.

In the Duneland Conference Meet, the team only placed third. When the Sectionals rolled around however, the team made school history by taking first place edging out Lew Wallace 132-121. In addition, seniors Meg Reister and Sarah Little both broke school records in long jump. The team again made

thought we wouldn't. It will be imprinted in my mind forever. It was awesome to make history," said Carolyn Taylor (11). After the regional meet, the girls traveled to IUPUI to run in the state meet. They were really looking forward to doing well in the meet, but unfortunately they did not place. The only event to place was the 5 X 8 team which consisted of Angela James, Kelly O'Brien, Kelli Hein, and Carolyn Taylor.

At the end of the season awards banquet, Sarah Zic and Kelli Hein were named Co-Most Promising, Meg Reister won Most Improved, and Kelly O'Brien won Most Valuable. "I thought this was a really awesome season, and I was glad to be a part of it," said Courtney Svihra (9). - Andy Kirk

**"T**he funniest thing that happened all season was when Karen Smith, Nicci Lambert, and I attacked Beth Saboto with red Gatorade at one of the meets. She was soaked and afraid to come near us for the rest of the meet."

- Sarah Zic (11)

history the following week by winning the first track regional ever. "Winning Sectionals and Regionals was great, even though many people

## Concentration

Concentrating on throwing the shot-put as far as possible, Sarah Zic (11) gathers her strength at the last home meet. This was Sarah's first year throwing the shot, and she came within 2 inches of the school record of 38 ft 10 in.

## Kicking it Up

Two key meets were sectionals and regional. As an underdog, we were able to upset many state ranked teams to win Crown Point High School's first ever Sectional and Regional, as well as to qualify many individuals for state." Kelly O'Brien (12)

## Pushing It Forward

I ran track because I like running against different athletes around the area. I felt scared at first because I was only a freshman, but when the season started I felt more at ease and eventually made it to the state. Lakea Harvey (9)





## *Long Jumping*

Trying to lengthen her distance, Lindsey Ciochina (9) throws her weight forward to jump as far as she can. Lindsey's best jump this season came at 15 ft 3 in.

## **GIRLS TRACK**

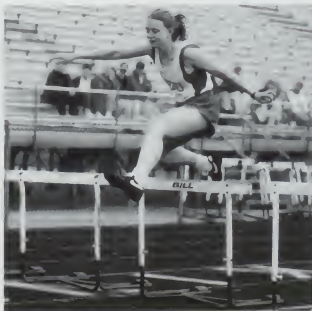
## *Scorebox...*

Lowell	62-52	Valparaiso	64-48
Lake Central	55-90	Portage	64-60
Highland	55-11	LaPorte	72-50
Merrillville	79-54	Portage Relays	1st
Hobart	79-23	DAC	3rd
E.C. Central	79-39	<i>Sectional</i>	1st
Michigan City	40-67	<i>Regional</i>	1st
Chesterton	40-48		



## *Full Speed Ahead*

Bursting into full speed in a meet against Lowell, Angela James (11) leaves her competition in the dust. Angela had been on the track team for 3 years and according to her teammates was one of the most valuable runners.



## *Passing The Baton*

Courtney Suihra (9) receives the baton from Amy Wall (11) in the 400 meter relay. Courtney said she ran track because she enjoys the competition. (center)

## *Up for Jumps*

Sara Chandler (11) runs over the low hurdles. Sara said her main goal was to better her time for every meet. (right)

## *hurling the Shot*

Throwing for distance, Derek Hescher (10) grunts with all of his might. Derek's girlfriend Karen Smith also throws the shot-put for the girls' team.



## **Boys TRACK**

## *Scorebox...*

Lowell	67-56	Valparaiso	32-75
East Chicago	121-0	Portage	32-60
Lake Central	38-118	La Porte	64-58
Highland	38-5	"Hobart Little 5"	1st
Merrillville	68-62	DAC Meet	4th
Hobart	68-38		
Michigan City	42-84	Sectionals	2nd
Chesterton	42-3	Regionals	14th

## *Exchanging Legs*

After his leg, John Moorehead (11) gives the baton to Jeff Svihra. The two ran on the 1600 meter relay team which won at the Duneland Athletic Conference meet at Merrillville. The team received All-Conference honors.



## *Cleaving the Bar*

MVP Andy Rosdil (11) high jumps himself to a qualifying place for the Regional meet at Valparaiso. Andy's brother also was a member on the track team. (right)



## *Keeping his Stride*

Leading the competition, Dave Patti (12) pushes the pace placing first at the Sectional meet in the 1600 meter run. Dave also won the Sectional meet in cross country. (center)





# Boys' TRACK

*Teams earn winning record send 4x4 relay team, mile runner to regional competition*

Setting goals at the beginning of the season, the boys' track team showed the competition that they weren't playing around. The guys finished their season with an overall record of 11-4 and a 4-3 record in the Duneland Athletic Conference. It was the first time the team had ever finished with a winning record in the conference since they entered it five years ago.

The team started off the season competing in indoor meets; however, they were more like practice for the outdoor season because the indoor season wasn't scored.

## Soaring high

Propelling through the air, Jeremy McMillen (11) tries to keep good form and distance. Jeremy also played on the varsity soccer and wrestling teams.

In mid-season, the 4x400 team finished first at the conference meet at Merrillville receiving All-Conference honors. "It was really exciting and emotional for me and my team-

mates," said John Moorehead.

Several team members had outstanding performances at the Lowell Sectional as well. The 4x800 team and the 4x100 team placed in the top four to qualify for regionals. In addition, Dave Patti (12) took a first place and qualified in the mile. Andy Rosdil (11) qualified in hurdles, and Kevin Wool (11) and Derek Hescher (10) qualified in Shotput. "I feel that this being my first year that I threw pretty well," said Kevin Wool.

-Dave Patti

"During an easy Saturday practice after the Sectional meet, we were doing a couple of short sprints on the home stretch and Tony Barringer wanted to make it a little more exciting and jump over a hurdle. Well, he tripped over it and landed on his face. Then he got up and finished jogging across the line laughing."

-Jeff Svihra (12)



## Making a Hand and a Foot

"Our 400 meter relay team became really close throughout this track season. It was like we became a close family." Sam Roberts (12)



## Pushing Himself

"I had a lot of fun this year. Me and Coach Bunda had a bet for every meet. If I ran at a certain time, he would buy me tacos. I love tacos." Scott Ewing (11)

## Freshman

Kevin Wilkenson, Aaron Kennedy, Kristopher Buckman, Brian Mihalik, Jeff Tessman row 2: Ryan Wilkenson, Dan Deno, Mike Knaga, Nate Reilly, Conrad Harris, Ryan Fleming row 3: TJ Pruzin, Dan Knaga, Matt Oakes, Mike Zurbruggen, Bret Govert, Bryan Bauner, Brian Cuculich

BASEBALL



## J.V.

Brian Retson, Mark Bohling, Ryan O'Connor, Tom Wicinski row 2: Eddie Brown, Austin Szalmasagi, Mike Mathias, John Paris, Scott Schueneman row 3: Jason Strong, Mike Sykes, John Sum, Brian Reid, Kevin Sparks

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## Varsity

Justin Pierce, Pete Ksanos, Justin Ziemn, Billy Wheeler row 2: Kyle LoGreco, Charles Asher, Joe Bombagetti, Mike Perry, Jason Schasma row 3: Coach Sherry, Mike Mucha, Ryan Rapp, Brian Parker, Aaron Gonzalez, John Moench

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### *J.V. I Varsity*

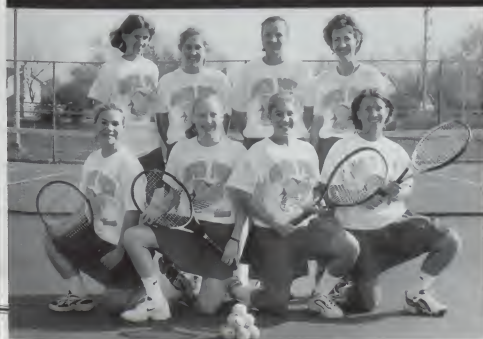
RJ Ohlenkamp, Ed Sincha, Eric Peshki  
row 2: Tom Mayer, Nathan Szymczak,  
Brian Thomas, Coach Chelap, Chris  
Ramirez row 3: Colin Rennich, Brian  
Lautlar, Kevin Nolan, David Vlink, Jeff  
Mote, Graegen Fenwick, Jared Hayes, Alex  
Kutanovskir, Tim Kacmar



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### *J.V. II*

Victoria Liss, Lauren Miller, Sarah  
Lowery, Nikki Echterling, Rhannon  
Amodeo, Katie Wusik row 2: Katie  
Kurowski, Katie Grant, Coach Kiefer,  
Salina Paarlberg, Faith Robbins row 3:  
Katie Chelap, Sarah Hein, Blythe  
Hamilton, Megan Makarek, Alina Oliver,  
Julie Steinberg



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### *Varsity*

Cassie Wertin, Sara Cook, Kristen  
Callison, Melanie Nelson row 2: Shan-  
non Dedelow, Jill LaBarge, Torrey  
Witham, Coach Debbie Cuffia

# GIRLS' SOFTBALL

*Team finishes season 19-8,  
earns 8-6 record in Dundand  
Athletic Conference*

With a relatively young team consisting of only one senior, the girls' softball team slammed their way into the season, winning their first four games against traditional softball powerhouses.

In the season opener, the team handed

and Hanover Central. "We went from barely any publicity to having almost every newspaper covering our games," said Lindsay Dennison (10).

Under the direction of a new head coach, Jim Ingelhart, the team thrived ending with a 19-8 season record and an 8-6 record in the Dundand Athletic Conference. "It was difficult at first to get used to a new coach, but once we did, we played very well," said Andrea Claussen (12).

Meanwhile the J.V. team, lead by Coach Chrissy Pepa had its ups and downs finishing with a 9-12 record. "I felt that the team's unity was great. All of our personalities blended really well. We all got along great with each other and the coaches," said Nicole Frost (9).

- Justin Schutz

**"W**e were supposed to go to Logansport for a double header. We started and tried to tell the bus driver we were going the wrong way. She wouldn't listen so we ended up in Lafayette. By the time we got to the right place we were over an hour late. We only had the chance to play one game because of a rain."

-Jacqui Stephens (10)

## Ready to Connect

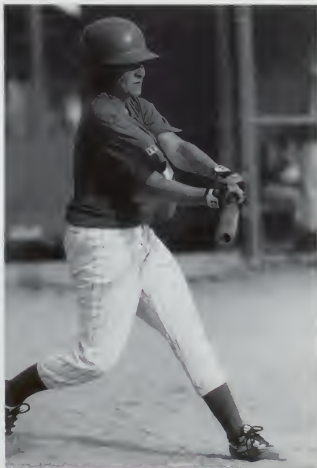
Jamie Staniszeski (10) gets ready to smash a line-drive. Jamie was a pitcher for the J.V. squad then moved to varsity later in the year.

## Stopping the Ball

It was tough being a catcher for a lot of reasons. You were always the dirtiest and the sweatiest. I was just glad that I was playing varsity ball." - Jamie Larsen (10)

## Surprised by the Ball

Softball was a lot more fun. Varsity players had a lot more pressure to do well. All the J.V. team had to do was play good and have fun." - Jamie Pierce (9)







### *Pitching a Strike*

Josie Koehler (11) pitches the ball across the plate in the game with Valparaiso. Josie pitched for J.V. early in the season then moved to a varsity starting position.

### **GIRLS** **SOFTBALL**

Hammond	10-0	Logansport	13-0
Lake Central	6-1	Merrillville	4-5
Portage	1-0	Chesterton	19-3
Hobart	5-4	Hanover Cen.	48-16
Lowell	4-5	Andrean	5-2
Mishawaka	10-0	Griffith	7-2
LaPorte	11-3	Munster	10-0
Michigan City	12-2	Hammond	7-0
Valparaiso	1-2		

### *Scorebox...*



### *Getting a Jump*

In the home game against Valparaiso, Sarah Douglas (10) runs past third on her way home on a pop fly. The girls' lost to the Trojans 1-2. Sarah was a starting first basemen and a powerful hitter.



### *Ready for the Fly*

As her opponent leads off, Kiera Smock (11) waits on the ball. Kiera was one of the best hitters on the team with three out of the park homers. (center)



### *Tossing to the Pitcher*

Andrea Claussen (12) returns the ball to the pitcher after a play against the Trojans. Andrea was the only senior on the team.



# VARSITY BASEBALL

Under the coaching of Ed Sharey and Chip Pettit, the Boys' Varsity Baseball Team had a winning season. They beat conference rivals and the number one state ranked LaPorte Slicers in one of the regular season games. During the Lowell game, pitcher Billy Wheeler (11) pitched a no hitter, and at the sectional game, he had 14 strike outs.

They boys finished 7 of 14 in the Duneland Athletic Conference (DAC) which gave them 3rd place. They ended up finishing above .500 for the first time in the DAC. Paul Wirtz (12) said, "The

## On the Fly

John Moench (11) awaits a fly ball in left field during the Michigan City home game. John also served as a member of the Varsity Basketball team. (below)

regular season was awesome because we pulled together as a team and won a lot of games."

Despite their promising season, the team was upset by a 4-1 loss

against the Munster Mustangs in the sectional tournament at Munster. "We really started the season off hot and we kept it going for the rest of the year. We really had an overall great season this year except for the sectional tournament when we lost 4-1 to Munster," said Mike Mucha

(12). Kyle LoGreco (11) explained the loss. "During the sectional game, Billy Wheeler pitched a great game, but the main reason that we lost was because nobody on the team could hit or get any contact with the ball."

-Bob Peterson

*Team finishes over .500  
for the first time  
in DAC*

**"T**he funniest thing that happened this season was when Nicole Hyle took Trent's cart for a spin and nailed a car by the auto shop. Then she drove back by the dugout and crashed into the fence causing the fence to bend all the way out. Even old Coach Sharey cracked up."

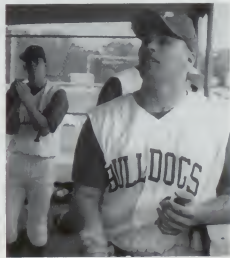
-Kyle LoGreco (11)



## Pounding the Ball

This season has been a big change from last year. Last season we only won 8 games all year. We really had a great season this year because all the seniors along with the rest of the team stepped up and played to the best of their abilities, and that's what makes a winning season."

-Mike Perry (12)



## Juggling for Fun

Our success this year was because of our ability to work together as a team. That was our biggest problem last year. Also this year's bench crew was the best ever."

-Dave Sendre (12)

# J.V./FROSH BASEBALL

*Teams gain experience, J. V.  
wins last four games*

Filled with ups and downs, the J.V. baseball team tried to pull through the season together. "We were down most of the season, but we did have a few good endings to the year. We won our last four games and looked like a solid baseball team," said Coach Haupt.

The season did start slowly with losses to LaPorte and Hobart, but the team beat Michigan

Sophomores Mark Bohling, Austin Szalmasagi, and Mike Sykes anchored the dogs staff. "At times it felt like I was the only one out there working my butt off, but my teammates really helped me out and encouraged me after every pitch," said Mike Sykes (10).

The men in the middle, were sophomores Austin Szalmasagi, and Mark Bohling. Sophomores Ryan O'Conner, Mike Sykes, and John Sum the main battery of the outfield, won the teams MVP. All three of them tied for the honor. "I really excited for my teammates and myself. I am also proud of our entire team this year for pulling through adversity and playing well," said Ryan O'Conner (10).

-Kyle LoGreco

**"O**ne funny thing that happened was we were having a breakfast at the Crown Point Civic Center. Eddie Brown didn't come because he thought it was supposed to be at the Hammond Civic Center." - Mark Bohling (10)

## Throwing Fire

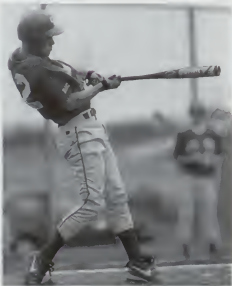
Brian Retson (10) looks to throw gas by the hitters and get out of the long inning. Brian was on the team the last two years, but this was his first year as a starting pitcher.

## Swinging the Ball

During the baseball team was a great experience, and I can't wait until next year. I also enjoyed the opportunity of being a starting pitcher and playing a lot." -Kris Buckman (9)

## Looking to Hit

Our class has a chance to be a very successful team. But, unfortunately we weren't able to put it together this year. -Scott Schueneman (10)







### *Ready to Spring*

Dan Knaga (9) looks to eat up the ball and throw the runner out at first base. This was Dan's first year playing baseball for the team.

### **J.V./FROSH BASEBALL**

### *Scorebox...*

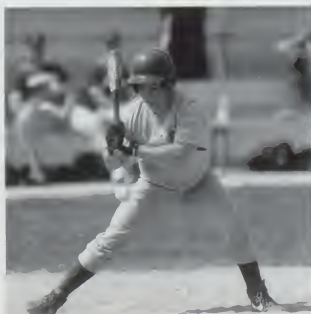
Portage	8-5	Highland	1-3
Hobart	1-2	Michigan City	8-18
LaPorte	0-12	Michigan City	11-1
Valparaiso	6-4	Valparaiso	3-10
Merrillville	3-4	Munster	9-14
Portage	4-5	Munster	1-19
LaPorte	1-14	Lowell	11-4
Highland	2-6	Freshman Record	9-4



### *Digging In*

Austin Szalmasagi (10) catches the ball and guns it towards first to get the runner out and make a spectacular play.

Austin's first job on the team was to be their ace pitcher, but he also played shortstop. Austin also started the last two years.



### *Eyeing the Plate*

Eddie Brown (10) takes the sign and pitches to the batter. Eddie was also a starter on last year's team. He also was a pitching ace.

### *Taking the Bitch*

Kevin Wilkenson (9) looks at the ball and tries to get a walk. Kevin was one of the twins on the team.

# VARSITY HOCKEY

*Team shows enthusiasm through  
adversity of first year as  
organized sport*

arking a new beginning with the formation of the hockey team, several guys jumped on the bandwagon and joined the team. "I didn't think we would do very well because this was a first-year team. The most fun you can have is checking somebody you don't know into the boards on an ice rink," said Mike Emole (12).

"One funny thing that happened was at a game where we were losing 2 or 3 to nothing. One of our players was trying to clear the puck behind the back of the net when he accidentally put it in giving the other side one more point."

-Shaun Hoekstra (12)

The team was coached by Tony Negrelli and John Zbell. The guys practiced 2-3 times a week at the St. John Ice Rink and played their games all around the region. "I believe hockey will stay here at CPHS due to the interest in the game among younger students and the fact that other schools

around the area will have teams as early as 1998-1999. Hockey is also one of the top three sports in Illinois, the Fort Wayne area, and in some spots in Southern Indiana," said Rob Chepela (12).

One game the team felt they played well was against Indianapolis Ben Davis where they had a 2-0 lead. Unfortunately, they ended up losing 2-3. "I thought that was a key game for us because we played well against a very tough team," said Kevin Laduke (9).

When the season finally came to an end, co-captains Jason Davis (12) and Rob Chepela were named the teams MVPs. "I have never been on a team with *Moving The Puck*

more heart and drive than this team. And even though we didn't do well, I enjoyed every minute of it," said Jason. *Battling with his opponent James Duffy (10) tries to pry the puck loose. James finished out with two goals this season.*

-Andy Kirk

## Scraping & Glowing

"I have fulfilled my dream of playing hockey here. My most memorable moment was when I got a trophy for the Heart, Pride, Enthusiasm award. The trophy was given to me by my coach."

-James Goszewski (12)

## Battling for a Puck

"I thought this season was a learning experience for all of us. Even though we didn't win any games, we still had a lot of fun. I also think hockey will be a success here because of all of the younger players we have coming back." - Chip Walter (9)





### *Watching Intently*

Jason Gondek (10) prepares to go into the game after a break.

### **VARSITY HOCKEY**

### *Scorebox...*

Highland	L	Munster	L
Thornwood	L	TF South	L
Marian	L	TF South	L
Sandburg	L	Thornwood	L
Lockport	L	Marian	L
Stagg	L	Sandburg	L
Linclon Way	L	Highland	L
Munster	L	Lockport	L
DeLasalle	L	Linclon way	L



### *Stopping a Shot*

Defending a shot on goal Paul Chapela (10) doesn't let the opponent score. Paul had a 80 percent goals against average this season for the Bulldogs.



### *Facing Off*

Facing off with his opponent, Rob Chapela tries to get possession of the puck for his team. Rob has played hockey since he was 7 years old.

### *Stick Handling*

At St. John, Mike Emole (12) looks for an open teammate. Mike's spent his first year playing organized hockey.

### *Skating Around*

Looking around for a teammate, Mike Ellch (9) moves the puck to a better position. Mike had a positive effect according to the coaches.

## Reaching Out

Reaching for a shot, Shannon Dedelow (11) strikes back against her Munster opponent. Shannon moved up from last year's junior varsity.

## GIRLS TENNIS

Munster	1-4
Highland	3-2
Griffith	5-0
West Lafayette	1-4
Lowell	4-1
Portage	2-3
Chesterton	3-2
Hobart	4-1
Valparaiso	2-3
Michigan City	3-2
LaPorte	2-3

## Scorebox...

Griffith	5-0
Calumet	5-0
<i>Sectionals</i>	
Griffith	5-0
Calumet	5-0
<i>Regionals</i>	
Highland	4-1
Munster	1-4
J.V. Record	8-1

## Setting Up

Kristen Callison (11) sets up to hit the ball back against a Munster opponent. Kristen kept her opponent on the court for about three hours during the regional. Kristen said, "I think we've had a pretty good season. We all got along and worked together as a team."



## Placing the Ball

Concentrating on a win, Noreen Khalid (11) returns the ball to her Munster opponent. Noreen felt that her best match was against the Munster team.



## Returning the Ball

Alina Oliver (10) returns a hit from her Chesterton opponent. Alina played J.V. most of the season, but got a chance to play varsity when senior Jill LaBarge was injured. (center)





# GIRLS' TENNIS

*Varsity goes 6-5, wins sectional fourth year in a row. J.V. earns 8-1 record*

Encountering some obstacles throughout the season, the girls' varsity tennis team continued to control the courts. Due to the renovations of the high school courts, the team traveled each day to Taft Middle School to practice and held their matches there as well. In addition, Jill LaBarge (12) was injured mid season. "The team struggled to compensate for a loss due to injury of 1st singles player Jill LaBarge," said Varsity Coach Debbie Cuffia. However, the team pulled together and finished off the season with a 6-5 record.

For the fourth year in row, the girls won their sectional meets against Griffith and Calumet.

## Bouncing Back

Playing a match against Valpo, Blythe Hamilton (10) returns the serve successfully. Blyth won the tournament undefeated and the team won their division. (below)

Advancing to Regionals, the girls dominated the first match up 4 to 1 against Highland's team. Unfortunately, they ended their season in the final round with a competi-

tive 1 to 4 loss against state ranked Munster. LaBarge was the only one to win at 3rd singles. However, Kristen Callison (11) turned in her best match ever and split sets with her opponent. She stayed on the court for almost three hours in her attempt to win.

The J.V. team ended with an 8-1 record. "Katie Wusik and I took first place in the Merrillville Tourney. The last team we played had a really bad attitude, so it felt great to beat them," said Rhiannon Amodeo (10).

-Sara Chandler

"During a match against Michigan City, I hit the ball over the fence and into Coach Keifer's car. My opponent served the ball and I called the serve out and attempted to hit it back to her, but instead the ball went completely sideways into the parking lot. Two serves later I repeated the wonderful shot. Unfortunately, her serve was in that time."

-Rhiannon Amodeo (10)



## Personal Goals

"My personal best match was the Michigan City match because it was my first match coming out of my injury, and I won not by chasing balls, but by skills and changing the speed of the ball."

-Jill LaBarge (12)

## Striking Back

"This season was tough with Jill LaBarge hurting her ankle. Everyone had to move up a spot. But, playing varsity my sophomore year was my most memorable moment."

-Cassie Wertin (10)

# STUDENTS, FACULTY,

*Classes adjust to various changes*

## STAFF FORM CORE

“One morning, while I was getting ready for school, I went outside to start my car. Since it was winter, I turned on the heat and scraped the snow off of the windows. I then went inside while my car was heating up so I could get my backpack. When I came back outside, my car was gone! The first thought that came to my mind was that someone had stolen it. Well, it just so happens that I live on the top of a long winding hill and my car had rolled all the way down it into someone’s yard. On its way down, it went through a yard and hit a mailbox. It ended up in a ditch at the house of a guy I went to elementary school with. If the ditch wouldn’t have been there, it would’ve been in my neighbor’s pool. Needless to say we got the emergency brake fixed.” --SARAH GLINIS (12)

## CASTE & CREW

Students and faculty made many adjustments and prepared themselves for the future, whether it was the freshmen who made the adjustment to an unfamiliar place with crowded halls, harder classes, more homework, and upperclassmen, or the seniors who had to change their graduation plans.

Seniors spent most of their time preparing for SAT’s, filling out endless college applications, applying for scholarships and financial aid, or planning their senior trip, prom, graduation, and open houses. Of course with senior year came the common “senioritis”. “I had a bad case of senioritis. I brought my books home every night, but rarely opened my bookbag. I fortunately ended managed to get good grades,” said Sheila Eriks (12).

Whether it was changing classrooms, rearranging their schedules because of “Blizzard 98,” or petitioning for new contracts, teachers also

found themselves adjusting. “I’m fortunate to have my own classroom, so I don’t have to move classrooms to teach, but I unfortunately have one of the rooms that flooded over Christmas break,” said teacher Carol Rivero.

School of course had its ups and downs. Broken power lines and blinding snow provided students with what seemed to be, at the time, a March vacation. However, little did they know it would result in a week long extension of school. Seniors waited impatiently to find out when and how many days they’d have to make up because of “Blizzard 98”. Many seniors were disappointed when the State refused to waver the missed days. Seniors were understandably upset. “The seniors always get out of school a few days before everyone. Well, because of the snow, we had to go to school on the same day we had commencement, and had to come back four days after graduation, which I thought was unfair,” said Kelly Mace (12).

Despite the adjustments, the blizzard, the week-long extension of school, and the waver denial for seniors, students and faculty worked together. After all, they were part of the same

“Caste & Crew.”



During the spring play, Oklahoma, Glen Metros (11) and Lindsey Ciochina (9) dance and sing to "The Farmer and the Cowman". The spring play *Oklahoma*, was directed by English and drama teacher, Kit Degenhart.



Helping with the tailgate party before the homecoming game, Josh Powers (12) flips burgers. Students, faculty, and parents attended the tailgate parties before the home football games to show their school spirit.

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“I had fun during the trade fair. Even though our clay masterpieces didn't sell quite as well as the apple pies, I had a good time.”-Adam Lamere (11)

“I loved performing during the halftime show. It's fun when there is a huge crowd of people watching and listening to us perform.”

-Kristina Fouch (11)



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# WHAT IS THE WILDEST THING THAT YOU HAVE EVER DONE?

“One time my friends and I left a party, and we decided to take off our pants and wear our boxers and we rolled down all the windows and went over to people’s houses.” -Steve Idalski



“Last June me and four other guys drove to I.U. for tennis camp. We drove a mini van and we got there in 2 hours because we went 100 m.p.h.. It was pretty stupid.” -Andy Liss

“My best friend and I got up and started square dancing in front of 400 people.” -Emily Wildes (right)



“I was driving down the street, and I hit a curb and ended up totaling my car.” -Mike McFadden (above)



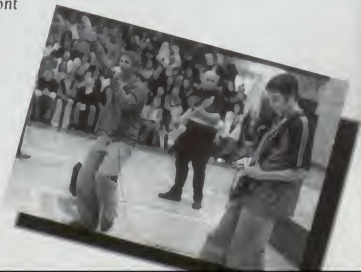
# WHAT IS THE MOST EMBARRASSING THING THAT HAS HAPPENED TO YOU WHILE DRIVING?

“Homecoming day I was driving around the square before the parade and struck a pedestrian with my car. A lot of people were watching. There were no bad injuries.” -Sam Carlson (right)



“Once while I was driving my dad’s car, another car pulled out in front of me and I hit it going about 50 m.p.h.” -Matt Langel (left)

“I was driving and a deer ran out in front of my car and I almost hit it but ended up going into a ditch and flipping my car.” -Ryan Henderlong



“I went with two of my friends to get their tattoos and no one ever knew.” -John Hagerman (above)





**James Abbott:** Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Symphonic Band-9,10,11,12; Concert Choir-12; FCA-9,10,11,12; Latin Club-9,10; Spanish Club-9; Track-12  
**Rae Ann Abrehem**  
**Missy Abramson**  
**Colin Adams**  
**Zoe Alaise**

**Virginia Anello:** Girls' Choir-11,12; Mixed Choir-11; Treble Choir-10; Drama Club-9,10,11,12; French Club-9,10; Honor Society-11,12; Peer Resource-10; Powderpuff-10; Speech Club-11,12; Thespians-11,12

**Alexis Angelov**  
**Kelli Armstrong:** Powderpuff-9; Spanish Club-9,10,11; Tennis-9  
**Heather Arthur:** Colorguard-9,10,12; Drama Club-9,10,12; Latin Club-9,10,12; Orchestra-9,10,11,12; Rotary-11; Thespians-9,10,11,12  
**Charles Aher:** Baseball-9,10,11,12; Biology Club-12; DARE-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Latin Club-9,10,11,12; Letterman's Club-9,10,11,12; Swimming-9,10,11,12

**Eric Aurigema:** FCA-9,10,11,12; Football-10,11; Letterman's Club-10; Spanish Club-11

**Michel Avery**  
**Den Babic:** Auto Club-11; Football-9,10; Letterman's Club-10; Welding Club-10,11 (President)  
**Jerrett Bejuncak:** Baseball-10; German Club-9,10,11,12; Inklings-12  
**Renee Bedall:** HERO-12; Powderpuff-10

**Jeeice Bennieter:** Marching Band-11,12; Colorguard-11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12; Peer as Resource-12; Spanish Club-9,10; Swimming-9,10,11,12

**Danielle Barenie:** Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Symphonic Band-9,10,11,12; Jazz Band-9,10,11,12; Quilt and Scroll-12; Pep Band-9,10,11,12; Orchestra-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-12; Excelsior-11,12  
**Anthony Berringer:** Basketball-9,10,11,12; Football-10,11,12; French Club-11,12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Boys State-12; Track-11,12  
**Steven Battermen**  
**Lisa Betulac:** Spanish Club-9,10,11; Track-9,10; Volleyball-9

**Julie Beilhus**  
**Liz Beech:** Peer Resource-9,10,11,12; Soccer-10; Softball-9,10; Spanish Club-9,10

**Beth Bleker:** Concert Band-9,10; Colorguard-10,11,12; Gorman Club-11,12; GVC-9,10; Latin Club-9,10; Peer as Resource-11,12 (President); Student Trainer-9,10; Swimming-9,10  
**Matthew Bleker:** German Club-9,10,11

**Erin Bishop:** Biology Club-12; Honor Society-11,12; Ken Club-10; Orchestra-9,10,11,12; Spanish Club-9,10; Girls State-12; Valedictorian-12; Windfall-10,11

Not pictured- Mark Antczak, Cynthia Beker

# WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS AFTER HIGH SCHOOL?

"I plan on going to college and then becoming an elementary teacher somewhere in Colorado." **Justin Warren**

"After high school, I plan on getting a big loft in the city and veggie out all day." **Mandy Sealscott**

"I will be attending college at I.U. Bloomington to study criminal justice and finance." **Erin Thompson**

"I go to Purdue West Lafayette and major in engineering and then move to Arizona to make my millions." **Frank Remes**

**Peter Blieversicht:** Honor Society-11,12; Latin Club-9,10  
**Christopher Blow:** Jazz Band-9,10,11,12; Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Pep Band-9,10,11,12; Symphonic Band-9,10,11,12; French Club-9,10,11; German Club-12; Orchestra-9,10,11; Video Club-12  
**Thomas Bohling:** Baseball-10,11,12; Football-9; Spanish Club-10,11  
**Josh Bomar:** Concert Band-9,10,11; Symphonic Band-12; Marching Band-9  
**Marianna Borys:** Basketball-9,10; GVC-10,11,12; Honor Society-12; Spanish Club-10,11; Swimming-9,10,11,12; Video Club-12

**Allyson Bosel:** Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Symphonic Band-10,11,12; Key Club-10; Orchestra-11,12; Spanish Club-9,10  
**Amanda Bostian:** Concert Band-9,10; Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Pep Band-9,10,11,12; Symphonic Band-11,12; Concert Choir-11,12; Girls' Choir-9; Show Choir-9,10,11,12; Drama Club-9,10,11,12; Latin Club-9,10; Orchestra-10,11,12; Spanish Club-11; Thespians-11,12  
**Randy Brewer:**  
**Thomas Broslus:** Video Club-9,10,11,12  
**Sam Carlson:** Basketball-9,10,11; Golf-9; Spanish Club-9,10

**Megan Carnahan:** Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9; Booster Club-9,10,11,12; Cheerleading-9,10,11,12(Captain); Honor Society-12; Orchestra-9,10,11,12; Rotarians-12; **Samantha Carroll:** HERO-11,12(President)  
**Ben Caratana:** French Club-10,11; Boys' State-12; Video Club-12  
**Rudy Chabes:**  
**Bethany Chandler:** Basketball-9,10; Cross Country-10,11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Kwanians-12; Mith Club-10,11,12; Soccer-9; Spanish Club-9,10,11; Student Council-9,10,11; Track-9,10,11,12; DARE Role Model-9,10,11,12

**Richard Chapman:** Spanish Club-9,10  
**Matthew Chelap:** Basketball-9,10,11,12; DARE-9,10,11,12; FCA-9,10,11,12; German Club-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Tennis-9,10,11,12  
**Rob Chesler:** Golf-9; Hockey-12(Captain); Spanish Club-9,10,11  
**Travis Christy:** Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9; Soccer-9; Swimming-9,10,11  
**Tim Chrysler:**  
**Not pictured:** Clayton Brannan, John Butts, Jeremy Camell



Thomas Cicero  
Andrea Clausen: Basketball-9;  
German Club-11,12; GVC-  
9,10,11,12; Homecoming Court-  
12; Honor Society-12; Math Club-  
12; Peer as Resource-11,12;  
Rotarians-12; Soccer-10,11,12;  
Softball-9,10,11,12; Spanish  
Club-9,10; Volleyball-9; Windfall-  
11,12



Kara Condron: Journalism-10;  
Spanish Club-9,10,11,12; Track-  
9,10; Volleyball-9,10,11  
Brian Connolly: Drama Club-  
9,10,11,12; German Club-  
9,10,11,12(President); Inking-  
12; Journalism-12; Swimming-  
9,10; Tennis-9; Thespians-12;  
Web Club-11



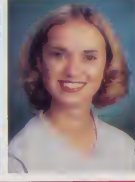
Brianna Connor: Booster Club-  
9,10,11; Cheerleading-  
9,10,11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12;  
Honor Society-11,12; Spanish  
Club-9,10; Swimming-9,10,11,12



Sara Cook: Honor Society-  
11,12; Spanish Club-9,10; Ten-  
nis-9,10,11,12  
Eric Cooper:  
Janine Cooper: Girls' Choir-  
9,10,11; German Club-  
9,10,11,12(Vice president);  
GVC-11,12; History Club-11;  
Softball-9,10,11,12; Volleyball-  
9,10,11



Julia Crans: Honor Society-  
11,12; Spanish Club-9,10  
Nicola Crans: Spanish Club-  
9,10



Bob Cummings  
Rob Dado: Basketball-9,10;  
Football-9,10,11,12; Letterman's  
Club-10,11,12; Spanish Club-  
9,10  
Jaime Davila  
Jason Davis  
Angela Decker



Christine DeFazio  
Amanda Dano: Latin Club-  
9,10,11; Powderpuff-9; Student  
Council-9,10,11,12  
Jimbo DePaoli  
Amy DeStasio: Latin Club-  
9,10; Volleyball-9  
Ryan Dilla: Baseball-10,11,12;  
Football-9; Swimming-10



Jasealyn Dixon  
Joe Diugokinski: Baseball-  
9,10,11,12; FCA-11,12; Football-  
9,10,11,12; Letterman's Club-  
10,11,12; Spanish Club-  
9,10,11,12  
Jeremy Doffin: Auto Club-11,12;  
Football-9; JCE-12  
Amy Domera  
Lisa Donofrio



Rod Dukesski  
Clint Dutton: Football-  
9,10,11,12; Letterman's Club-  
9,10,11,12; Spanish Club-9,10,11  
Mike Smole  
Jessica Enright: Powderpuff-9;  
Spanish Club-9  
Shelia Enke: Booster Club-  
9,10,11,12; Denca Team-  
9,10,11,12; Spanish Club-  
9,10,11,12(President)



Not pictured- David Dahman,  
John Dwyer, Robert Erb



# WHAT IS ONE OF YOUR FAVORITE THINGS TO DO ON WEEKENDS?

"Going out with my friends or boyfriend to get something to eat or to see a good movie like *Titanic* was always fun."  
-Shannon Korzeniewski

"Like going to parties with my friends and trying to stay out of trouble as much as I can."  
-Kory Stark

"During weekends I would always party with my friends, and I liked working on cars if I had time."  
-Nick Tournis

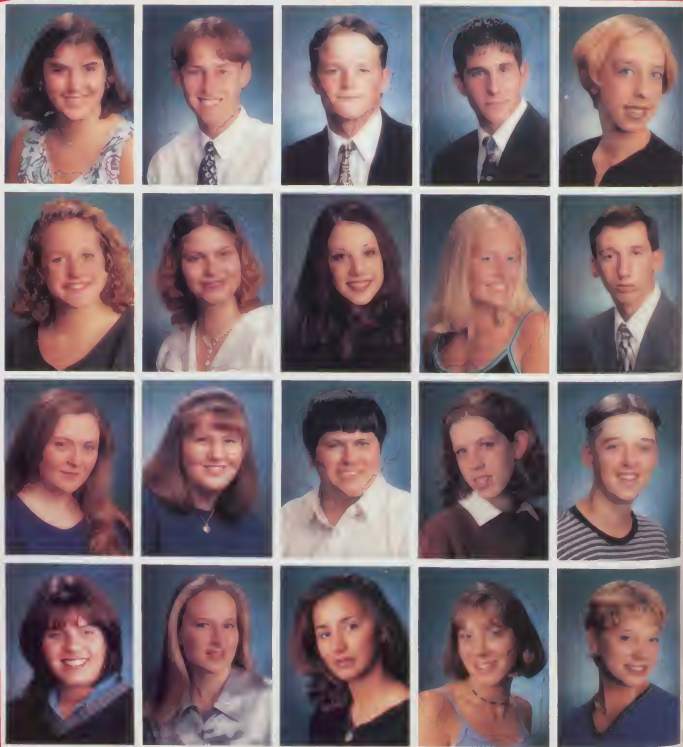
"Like to discover new ways to entertain myself and release the angst and vortex of depression within my soul through music and art."  
-Jeremy Jacobs

**Tina Ernet:** Girls' Choir-9, 10; HERO-12, Spanish Club-10, 11  
**Nicholas Erskine:** FGA-9, 10; Soccer-9, Spanish Club-9, 10; Track-12; Wrestling-9  
**Scott Evorik:**  
**Adam Fergo:** German Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Golf-9, 10, 11, 12; Soccer-11; Wrestling-9  
**Jennifer Ferley**

**Carrie Ferlic:** Concert Band-10, 11; Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12 (Captain); Pep Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Symphonic Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Cross Country-10, 11; Drama Club-9, 10, 11, 12; FGA-9, 10, 11, 12; GVC-10, 11, 12; Honor Society-11, 12 (President); Math Club-10, 11, 12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11; Track-9, 10, 11; Valedictorian-12  
**Kelly (Stacy) Fletcher:** Powderpuff-9  
**Sarah Ford:** Spanish Club-9  
**Amber Foreman:** Journalism-12; Key Club-10; Softball-9, 10, 12; Spanish Club-9  
**Ben Freley:** Latin Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11, 12

**Jonnie Frank:** Key Club-12  
**Jennifer Frazier:** Girls' Choir-11, 12; Key Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club-10, 11, 12 (Secretary)  
**Robert Freeman:** Video Club-11, 12  
**Jessica Friant:** Booster Club-9, 10; Cheerleading-9, 10; German Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Powderpuff-9  
**Kevin Fricke**

**Ashley Fritz:** Basketball-9; Girls' Choir-9; Mixed Choir-10, 11; HERO-12; Key Club-9, 10; Powderpuff-9; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11  
**Lori Gambin**  
**Melissa Gerza:** Colorguard-12; Marching Band-12; Mixed Choir-11, 12; Show Choir-11, 12; Drama Club-11, 12; French Club-11, 12; Thespians-11  
**Brienne Gibson**  
**Sarah Glante:** Art Club-10; Colorguard-10, 11, 12; Girls' Choir-9; Mixed Choir-10; Spanish Club-9, 10







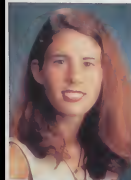
**Mercedes Goetz:** Concert Choir-10; Inkings-10.  
**Matt Goetz:** Concert Choir-9, 10; Marching Band-11, 12; Pap Band-11, 12; Symphonic Band-11, 12; Football-9; Wrestling-9.  
**Eric Goodman:** FCA-9; Football-9, 10, 11, 12; Honor Society-11, 12; Littermen's Club-10, 11, 12; Track-10; Wrestling-9, 10.  
**Miranda Gorcho:** Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12; GVC-9, 10; Biology Club-12; Gymnastics-9, 10 (Captain); Honor Society-11, 12; Key Club-10; Peer as Resource-11, 12; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11; Track-10; Windfall-11.



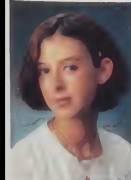
**Stefco Goreski:** Football-11.  
**James Goszewski:** Rick Griggo.  
**Kelly Gramanz:** Excalibur-11, 12; Colorguard-9, 10, 11, 12; Booster Club-10, 11, 12; Key Club-10, 11, 12; Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Outfit and Scroll-12; Powderpuff-10; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11.  
**John Grant**



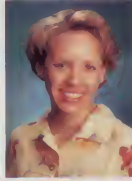
**Nikki Green:** Marching Band-11, 12; BBS team-9, 10; Concert Choir-11, 12; Girls' Choir-9, 10; Show Choir-9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club-10, 11, 12; Latin Club-9, 10, 11; Orchestra-9, 10, 11, 12; Thespians-10, 11, 12.  
**James Greer:** Julie Grevis.  
**David Grove:** Brandi Gutierrez.



**Anne Gutman:** Kristyn Gyurs. Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Pap Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Symphonic Band-10, 11, 12; Honor Society-11, 12; Key Club-10, 11, 12; Latin Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Peer as Resource-11, 12.  
**Sara Hagberg:** Biology Club-12; Honor Society-11, 12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club-9, 10; Girls' State-12; Student Council-9, 10, 11, 12.  
**John Hagerman:** Concert Band-9; Jazz-9, 10, 11, 12; Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Pap Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Symphonic Band-10, 11, 12; Honor Society-11, 12; Key Club-12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11, 12; Peer as Resource-9, 10, 11, 12; Boys' State-12; Student Council-12.  
**Nicole Hall**



**Rebecca Lee Hamilton:** Excalibur-12.  
**Susan Hamilton:** Booster Club-9, 10, 11; Cheerleading-9, 10 (Captain); 11; French Club-9, 10, 11; Honor Society-11, 12; Key Club-10; Student Council-9.  
**Carly Hanford:** Eboni Hardin.  
**Christopher Harvey**



**Chris Hawes:** Nicole Hays.  
**Aimee Heidbreder:** Amadei Haintzman.  
**Kristen Handerson:** Booster Club-9, 10, 11, 12; (President); Cheerleading-9, 10; French Club-10, 11; (Representative); Inkings-11, 12; Journalism-11, 12; Keweenaw-12.  
**Not pictured:** David Georgina.  
**Jason Hall:** Warden Hall.  
**Sandra Han**

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## HIGH SCHOOL DANCE WAS THE MOST SPECIAL?

"My junior prom was the best dance because it was the last time all of my senior friends and I were all together."  
-Katherine Weber

"Up about my senior year was the best dance because I was finally able to spend a night with my girl."  
-Ryan Morfin

"The best dance for me was my junior Turnabout because the dance was fun and the party afterwards was unbelievable."  
-Mike Avery

"Homcoming junior year because I had a really good time. The girl I went with was really fun and easy to talk to."  
-Charlie Gora

Ryan Henderlong  
Joel Henderson  
Rebecca Henderson: Girls' Choir-9,10;  
COE-12  
Melinde Henke: Concert Band-9,10,11;  
Marching Band-9,10,11; Pep Band-9,10,11; Symphonic Band-12; Concert Choir-12; Girls' Choir-9; Show Choir-9,10,11,12; Spanish Club-9,10,11,12  
Jessica Herlitz: Girls' Choir-9; HERO-12; Spanish Club-9

Suzanne Herndon: Concert Band-9,10;  
Jazz Band-11; Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Pep Band-9,10; Symphonic Band-11,12; Basketball-9,10; Biology Club-11,12; Concert Choir-10,11,12; Cross Country-9,10; FCA-9,10; GVC-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-12; Latin Club-9,10  
Wayne Helstend: Baseball-9; ICE-12  
Mike Higginbotham: Baseball-10; Basketball-9; Booster Club-9,10; Honor Society-11,12; Peer as Resource-11,12; Spanish Club-9,10,11  
Ashley Higham: Concert Band-9; Booster Club-9,10,11,12; Dance Club-9,10,11,12; Key Club-9,10,11; Peer Resource-11; Spanish Club-9,10,11; Student Council-12; Track-10,12  
Jen Hitchcock

Shaun Hoekstra: Golf-9; Hockey-12; Spanish Club-9,10,11,12  
Tanya Marie Hovis  
Elliot Hottel: Spanish Club-9,10  
Brooke Hornick  
Netelle Huddleston: Colorguard-11,12; French Club-9,10,11,12; Key Club-10,11,12; Windfall-10

Monice Huxlet: Booster Club-9,10,11,12; Dance Team-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Jewelry Club-11; Key Club-9,10; Keweenaw-12; Peer as Resource-9,10; Spanish Club-9,10; Student Council-9,10,11,12

Rachel Huffman: Cheerleading-9,10; Excalibur-9,10; Volleyball-9,10  
Lucas Hyra  
Steve Idekai: Excalibur-10,12; Letterman's Club-12; Soccer-12; Spanish Club-9,10  
Justin Ivy

Not pictured: John Heneghan, Luke Hoffman, Elizabeth Hurst



**Jeremy Jacobs:** Art Club-10,11;  
Spanish Club-9,10,11  
**Amy James:** Concert Band-9;  
Swimming-11  
**Nicole James**  
**Lori Jansen**



**Elizabeth Jassen:** Concert Band-9,10, Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Pep Band-9,10; Symphonic Band-11,12; Booster Club-9,10,11,12; Chess-9,10,11; Concert Choir-11,12; Girls' Choir-9; Show Choir-9,10,11,12; Drama Club-9,10,11,12; FCA-11; German Club-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Orchestra-12; Rotarians-12; Girls' State-12; Swimming-12; Theatrics-9,10,11,12; Volleyball-9  
**Bill Johns:** German Club-9,10,11,12  
**Joshua Johnson:** Concert Band-9,10; Pep Band-9,10; Symphonic Band-11,12; Booster Club-12; FCA-11; Inskings-12; Journalism-12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Spanish Club-9,10; Tennis-9,10,11,12  
**Brian Jonsila**  
**Heather Kaiser:** GVC-9,10; Softball-9,10; Volleyball-9



**Mark Kaiser:** FCA-11; Football-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Kwanzaa-12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Spanish Club-11; Wrestling-9,10,11,12  
**Michael Kalmas:** Baseball-9,10,11,12; Basketball-9,10,11,12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Rotarians-12; Soccer-10,11,12; Spanish Club-11,12; Student Council-12  
**Lori Kalahan:** Concert Choir-11,12; Girls' Choir-9; Mixed Choir-10; Spanish Club-9  
**Jillian Kansa:** German Club-9,10,11; Journalism-12  
**Pete Kazana:** Baseball-9,10,11,12; Football-9; Letterman's Club-11,12; Spanish Club-9,10,11,12



**Chad Kazmerski**  
**Laura Kerry**  
**Joe Kiefer:** FCA-9,10,11,12; German Club-11,12; Golf-9; Letterman's Club-9,10,11,12; Orchestra-9,10,11,12; Tennis-9,10,11,12; Track-12; Wrestling-9,10,11,12  
**Malissa Kiewski:** Key Club-9,10,11,12; Latin Club-9,10,11,12; (Vice president), Peer as Resource-11,12; Soccer-9,10,11



**Chong Eun Kim**  
**Chong Hwa Kim**  
**Andy Kirk:** Excalibur-11,12; Football-9,10,11,12; Track-10,11; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Video Club-11,12  
**Crystal Kirschbaum**  
**Marylyce Klaker:** Concert Band-9,10; Symphonic Band-11,12; Colorguard-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; (Secretary); Key Club-10,11; Latin Club-9,10,11,12; Orchestra-11; Marchin Band-9,10,11,12; Peer as Resource-10,11,12  
**Allison Klaves:** HERO-12; Orchestra-9,10,11



**Ljubic Knezevic:** Basketball-9; Honor Society-11,12; Latin Club-10,11; Powderpuff-9,10; Spanish Club-9  
**Megan Koonce:** HERO-12  
**Shannon Korzeniak:** Dance Team-9,10,11,12; (Captain); GVC-11,12; Homecoming Court-12; Key Club-9,10; Spanish Club-9,10; Student Council-9,10,11,12; Tennis-9,10,11  
**Renee Krajewski:** Dring Team-9,10,11; French Club-9,10; GVC-9,10,11; Wrestling Manager-9,10  
**Kristen Kronland:** Gymnastics-10; Honor Society-11,12; Key Club-9,10; Spanish Club-9,10  
**Not pictured:** Justin Ivey, Shawn Johnson, Jeff Kiger, Amy Krell



# WHEN YOU WANTED TO RELAX, WHAT DID YOU DO?

*"I like hanging around with my friends or talking on the phone with them. That's when we have some of our best conversations."* Jennifer Sanders



*"I am stressed out. I like to go for a run or a swim. Exercising is hard, but it is a good way to relax myself."* Brooke Homrich



*"Usually I just go to my room and put on a favorite CD. Sometimes I write poems because it helps me clear my head."* Sarah Rose



*"I like to watch movies at home to relax. There is nobody there to pressure me."* Edn Weber

Jennifer Kruit: HERO-12(President), Spanish Club-9,10, Student Club-9,10  
Angela Kucik  
Lauren Kunkle  
Jill LaBerge: French Club-9,10,11, GVC-10,11,12; Rotarians-12; Tennis-9,10,11(Co-captain); Volleyball-9  
Loo LaFond: Art Club-11,12; Basketball-9,12; Spanish Club-9,10

Matthew Langeli: Concert Band-9,10,11,12; Jazz Band-12; Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Pep Band-9,10,11,12; Symphonic Band-10,11,12; German Club-9,10,11; Orchestra-10,11  
Bral Larson  
Jessica LaTulip  
Tiffany LaNeve  
Jacqueline Leonard: GVC-10,11,12; Soccer-10,11,12; Track-12

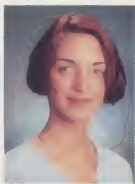
Adem Ligds: Baseball-9,10; Basketball-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Kwanians-12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Peer as Resource-11,12  
Nick Linden  
Andy Lias: FCA-9,10,11; French Club-9,10,11; Honor Society-11,12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Peer Resource-11; Tennis-9,10,11,12  
Serah Little: Basketball-9,10,11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-12; Key Club-9; Kwanians-12; Powderpuff-9; Spanish Club-9; Track-9,10,11,12  
James Longo

Cain Loudemilki: FCA-9,10,11,12; Football-9,10,11,12; Gory Career Club-11,12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Wrestling-9,10,11,12  
Shannon Lowery: Academic Team-12; Concert Choir-11,12; Girls' Choir-9; Mixed Choir-10; Honor Society-11,12; Latin Club-9,10,11,12; Powderpuff-10  
Nicholas Lukas: Diving-12; Swimming-9,10,11,12  
Kelly Macs: Basketball-9,10,12; GVC-9,10,11,12  
Irina Matkhovskays

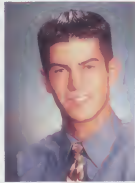
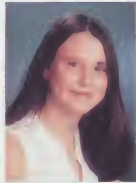
Not Pictured- Ryan Mack







Sarah Melowski  
John Mangano  
Gina Marchese  
Jennifer Marczik  
Bethany Marple



Katelyn Marah: Concert Band-9,  
Symphonie Band-10,11,12, Bes-  
selball-9,10,11,12, FGA-  
9,10,11,12, German Club-9,  
GVC-10,11,12, Honor Society-  
12, Rotarians-12, Valedictorian-  
12, Volleyball-9,10,11,12



Malania Marahall: Inkings-  
10,11,12, Latin Club-9,10, Quil &  
Scrol-11,12, Rotarians-12



Michael Martin  
Sarah Martin: Concert Choir-  
11,12, Girls Choir-9, Drama Club-  
10,11,12, German Club-  
9,10,11,12, Honor Society-11,12,  
Latin Club-9, Mixed Choir-10,  
Thespians-10,11,12



Nick Mathias  
Elizabeth Mattox  
Jill Maurer: Concert Band-  
9,10,11, Marching Band-  
9,10,11,12, Pep Band-9,10,11,  
Concert Choir-11,12, Girls Choir-  
9,10, Show Choir-9,10,11,12,  
Colorguard-12, French Club-  
10,11,12, Key Club-10,11, The-  
spians-12



Tom Mayer: Golf-  
9,10,11,12, Captain Letteman's  
Club-9,10,11,12, Rotarians-12,  
Spanish Club-9,10, Student  
Council-12



Malaine McGoldrick: Excelbur-  
10,11,12, GVC-9,10,11,12, Jour-  
nalism-9,10,11,12, Kiwanians-  
12, Quil & Scrol-11,12, Soccer-  
9,10,11,12, Captain Spanish  
Club-9,10



Michael McElroy: HERO/ICE-  
11,12  
Michael McFadden: Concert  
Band-9,10, Marching Band-  
9,10,11,12, Jazz Band-11,12,  
Symphonie Band-11,12, Show  
Choir-11,12, Latin Club-9, Or-  
chestra-9,10,11,12, P.A. Orches-  
tra-10,11,12, Spanish Club-11



Zebulon McNamee  
Tracie McVey  
Jannifer Mayer: HERO-12,  
Windfall-9,10,11,12



Paul Mikuta: Basketball-9, Golf-  
11,12, Spanish Club-9,10,11,12



Tim Miller  
Natalie Mich: Track-9,10, Vol-  
leyball-9



Malissa Komper  
Natalie Moorhead: Art Club-  
9,10, Key Club-12, Latin Club-  
9,10,11,12, Peer as Resource-12,  
Student Council-9, Tennis-9,10



Ryan Morfin: History Club-11,  
Honor Society-11,12, Kiwanians-  
12, Letteman's Club-9,10,11,12,  
Math Club-10,11,12, Peer as Re-  
source-10, Soccer-9,10,11,12,  
Captain Spanish Club-9,10,11,12,  
Boys' State-12, Student Council-  
9,10,11,12, Treasurer Wrestling-  
9,10,11,12



Clinton Morgan  
Was Morin  
Lindsay Motkovic: Concert  
Band-10, Symphonie Band-  
11,12, Colorguard-10,11,12,  
Captain Honor Society-11,12,  
Key Club-10,11, Latin Club-12,  
Math Club-12, Spanish Club-  
9,10,11, Volleyball-9



Michael Mucha: Baseball-  
9,10,11,12, Football-9,10,11,12,  
Letteman's Club-10,11,12,  
Letteman's Club-10,11,12  
Not pictured- Jame Mathews,  
Gel Moore, Chende McClen

# WHAT DOES BEING A SENIOR MEAN TO YOU?

“To me, being a senior means that after high school, it is time to grow up.”  
-Joe Rukas



“Being a senior means that high school is almost over and graduation is near.”  
-Stacey Rimkus

“It means that we are the role models and the leaders of the school to the underclassmen.”  
-Melissa Garza



“Being a senior means that you have to start thinking about what you want to do with the rest of your life.”  
-Stella Eriks



Jacqui Nelson: Concert Band-9,10; Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Symphonic Band-11,12; Booster Club-9,10,11; Cheerleading-9,10,11; Key Club-9,10; Spanish Club-9,10,11,12; The Spans-11,12

Amy Nemeth

Jake Nickel  
Ryan Nolan: Auto Club-11; Football-9,10,11; Golf-11,12; Latin Club-9,10; Spanish Club-9,10; Wrestling-9,10  
Kelly O'Brien: Basketball-9,10,11,12; Cross Country-10,11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Key Club-9; Rotarians-12; Studentman-12; Track-9,10,11,12; Volleyball-9

Sara Oakes

Richard Ohlenkamp: Golf-9,10,11,12; Math Club-10,12  
Jessica Orchowaski: Booster Club-9,10; Dance Team-9,10,11,12 (Captain); Honor Society-11,12; Kiwanians-12; Latin Club-11,12; Orchestra-9,10,11; Spanish Club-9,10  
Tracey Ostrowski: FCA-9,10,11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12; Gymnastics-9,10,11,12; Journalism-12; Kiwanians-12; Softball-11,12; Volleyball-9  
Jeremy Osuna: Auto Club-11,12; Spanish Club-9,10; Welding Club-12

Sofiya Paarlberg: Biology Club-12; Key Club-10,11,12; Spanish Club-10,11,12

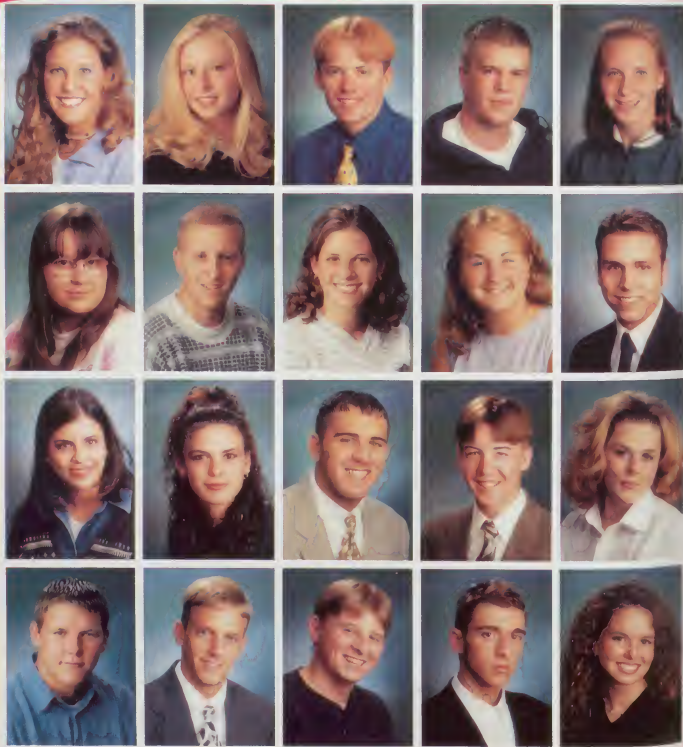
Angela Paige  
Brian Parker: Baseball-9,10,11; Basketball-9; Football-9,10,11,12; Homecoming Court-12/Mr. Football; Letterman's Club-10,11,12 (Vice President); Rotarians-12; Spanish Club-9,10,11  
Daniel Parkinson: Baseball-9; Latin Club-9,10,11; Peer Resource-11,12; Student Council-9,10,11  
Anna Paruolo: Treble Ensemble-9,10,11,12; Gymnastics-9; Swimming-9,10

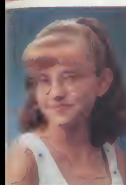
Nick Patterson

David Patti: Cross Country-9,10,11,12; Excalibur-12; Kiwanians-12; Letterman's Club-9,10,11,12 (Secretary); Track-9,10,11,12; Video Club-11,12

Ben Pearson: German Club-9,10,11,12; ICE-12; Swimming-9  
Kris Pejosi  
Jennifer Pelton: Excalibur-11,12; GVC-11,12; Homecoming Court-12; Journalism-11; Key Club-9,10; Peer Resource-10,11; Prom Committee-11; Soccer-9,10,11; Spanish Club-9,10; Student Council-12; Video Club-11,12

Not pictured: Bryan Mulder; Cheries Mullens; James Mulka





**Jennifer Peron:** Art Club-10; Concert Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Marching Band-10, 11, 12; Pep Band-10, 11, 12; French Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Key Club-9, 10; Swimming-11 (Manager); Windfall-10  
**Melissa Peron:** Mike Perry Baseball-9, 10, 11, 12; Letterman's Club-11, 12  
**Steve Petes:**  
**Bobby Peterson:** Escalibur-12; Football-9, 10, 11, 12; Letterman's Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club-9, 10; Student Council-9, 10; Swimming-9, 10



**Jenny Pettice:**  
**Phillip Pierce:** FCA-10, 11; Football-9, 10, 11, 12; Honor Society-11, 12; Letterman's Club-10, 11, 12; Rotarians-12; Track-10; Wrestling-9, 10, 11  
**Nicole Piffert:** Academic Team-12; Girls' Choir-9, 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club-9  
**Nathaniel Plente:** Show Choir-9; HERC-12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11  
**Katherine Potter**



**Jason Potts:**  
**Jeremy Powers:** Football-9, 10, 11, 12; ICE-12; Letterman's Club-10, 11, 12; Tennis-9; Wrestling-9, 10  
**Joel Powers:** Basketball-9, 10, 11, 12; Golf-9; Honor Society-11, 12; Letterman's Club-11, 12; Peer as Resource-12; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11, 12  
**Amy Pressley:**  
**Chris Price:** Football-9, 10; German Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Speech Club-11; Wrestling-9



**Silvio Pupeloski:** Soccer-10, 11, 12 (Captain)  
**Christopher Ramirez:**  
**Rachel Rempach:**  
**Ray Repchek:** Football-9, 10; Letterman's Club-9, 10, 11; Wrestling-9, 10, 11  
**Lee Ray**



**Raymond Razo:**  
**Allyson Reid:** Key Club-10; Spanish Club-9, 10  
**Nick Reilly:**  
**Frank Remes:** Auto Club-12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11  
**Sarah Remes:** Art Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Honor Society-11, 12; Jewelry Club-9, 10; Orchestra-9, 10, 11; Peer as Resource-12; Soccer-9, 10, 11; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11; Windfall-9, 10, 11



**Jenni Reppo:** Chess/Reading-9; Japanese Club-10, 11, 12 (President); Spanish Club-9, 10; Volleyball-10  
**Chris Retson:** Concert Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Symphonic Band-12  
**Matt Retzlaff:**  
**Jacquelyn Reynolds:** Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Symphonic Band-10, 11, 12; Concert Choir-11, 12; Show Choir-11, 12; Orchestra-11, 12; Powderpuff-9, 10; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11  
**Meg Reiser:** Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band-9; Symphonic Band-10, 11, 12; Cross Country-9; Honor Society-11, 12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11, 12; Powderpuff-10; Rotarians-12; Track-9, 10, 11, 12  
**Not pictured:** Donald Perce, Scott Pozworski

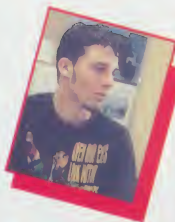


# HOW HAVE YOU CHANGED SINCE YOU WERE A FRESHMAN?

"I'm more mature, and I don't have glasses anymore."  
-Mike Rokicki



"I've gotten a lot taller and I am friends with a lot more people than I used to be."  
-Nick Lukas



"I don't care so much what people think of me, but more what I think of myself."  
-Gail Weillbaker

"I think that I have become more of my own person."  
-Amy Steinberg



"It became clearer to me what I want to do with my life. When I was a freshman, I had no idea what I was going to do."  
-Melanie Marshall



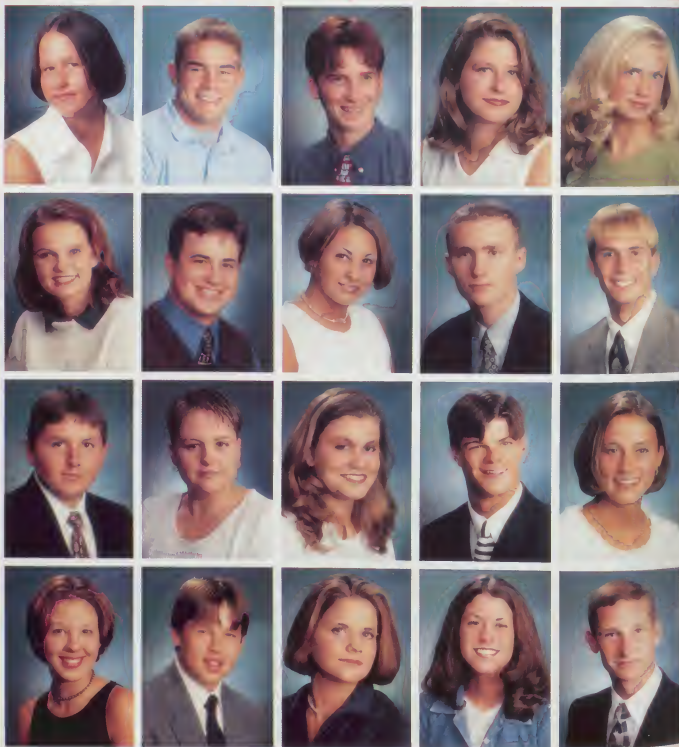
Stacey Rimkus: FCA-12, Honor Society-12, Swimming-11,12 Track-10,11,12  
Sam Roberts  
Tom Rock: Letterman's Club-10,11,12, Swimming-9,10,11,12  
April Rogala: Orchestra-9  
Jennifer Rogalski

Whitney Rogers: GVC-10,11; HERO-12, Swimming-9,10  
Michael Rokicki: Spanish Club-9,10,11  
Sarah Rose: Excalibur-12, Journalism-10, Powderpuff-9, Prom Committee-11, Spanish Club-9,10,11, Track-10, Video Club-9,10,11,12  
Peter Rosancranz: Biology Club-12, Cross Country-9,10, Football-9, Track-10  
Joseph Rukas: Basketball-9,10; Football-9,10,11,12, Honor Society-11,12, Letterman's Club-10,11,12, Spanish Club-9,10,11, Track-9

Justin Russell  
Annie Sebato: Basketball-9, Goll-10,11,12; GVC-10,11,12, Key Club-12, Kiwanians-12, Math Club-11,12, Spanish Club-9,10,11, Volleyball-9  
April Salerno: Latin Club-9, Spanish Club-10  
Joah Samples  
Jennifer Sanders: Basketball-9,10,11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12; Homecoming Court-10,12, Honor Society-11,12, Kiwanians-12, Soccer-9, Spanish Club-9,10,11, Student Council-10,11,12, Swimming-10, Track-10

Lisa Sarbiawski: Dance Team-9, Spanish Club-11,12(Vice President)  
Justin Schafans  
Jennifer Schach: Key Club-10,11, Spanish Club-9,10,11,12, Track-10,11,12  
Jennifer Schaefer: French Club-11, Spanish Club-9,10, Track-9,10, Video Club-12  
Doug Schatzman: Cross Country-9,10,11,12, Honor Society-11,12, Letterman's Club-9,10,11,12, Math Club-12, Rotarians-12, Spanish Club-9,10,11, Track-9,10,11,12

Not pictured-Bradly Robinson







Kyle Soffer: Spanish Club-9,10  
Eric Schneider: Biology Club-12, Spanish Club-9,10,11  
Patrick Schmidt: German Club-9,10,11, Honor Society-11,12; Letterman's Club-9,10,11,12; Swimming-9,10,11,12, Track-10,11,12  
Amanda Schmitt: Girls' Choir-9,11,12  
Stacy Schmitz



Stephanie Schmitz  
Kimberly Schueneman  
James Schultz: Football-11,12, Letterman's Club-11,12, Swimming-10  
Justin Schutz: Excalibur-11,12; Journalism-11,12, Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Out & Sport-12; Wrestling-10,11,12  
Lydia Scott



Mary Scott: German Club-11, Key Club-10,11,12(Treasurer), Spanish Club-9,10, Track-9,10,11,12  
Mandy Seascott: Concert Band-9,10, Colorguard-9,10,11,12, HERO-12(Treasurer), Homecoming Court-11,12, Key Club-10, Spanish Club-9,10,11,12(Treasurer), Student Council-9,10,11,12, Swimming-9  
Dave Sendre: Baseball-9,10,11,12, FCA-9,10, Football-9,10,11,12, Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Wrestling-9  
Hannah Sessum  
Steven Shaffer: Biology Club-12; Concert Band-9,10,11, Marching Band-9,10,12, Pep Band-10,11,12; Symphonic Band-12; French Club-12, Latin Club-10, Math Club-12; Royal Regiment-9,10,12; The Spans-12



Larissa Shamea-Yeskel: Dance Team-9,10,11,12; French Club-9,10, Honor Society-11,12; Student Council-9,10,11,12(Secretary); Tennis-9,10,11,12  
Jaime Shepis  
Angela Shepard: French Club-11, Inklings-12; Soccer-10,11,12; Spanish Club-9,10  
Craig Shimada: Peer as Resource-11, Spanish Club-9,10  
Craig Shimko



Eric Shoemaker: Golf-9, Letterman's Club-9,10,11,12; Swimming-9,10,11,12  
Sarah Short: Art Club-10, Marching Band-10,11,12, Concert Choir-11,12; Girls' Choir-9; Mixed Choir-10; Show Choir-9,10,11,12  
Sarah Shoup: Girls' Choir-9; German Club-9,10,11,12; Gymnastics-9; Honor Society-11,12; Peer as Resource-11,12; Swimming-12; Track-9,10,11,12, Volleyball-9,10  
Scott Siminski  
Brian Simins



Seth Skaggs  
Brandon Smith: Football-9,10,11,12; Letterman's Club-10,11,12; Spanish Club-11  
Karen Smith: FCA-10,11; GVC-10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Rotarians-12; Spanish Club-9,10,11,12; Swimming-9,10,11,12(Captain); Track-10,11,12; Biology Club-12  
Margaret Smith: French Club-11, Volleyball-9,10  
Kristy Snyder: Spanish Club-9,10,11

Not pictured: Clinton Schreiber, Katherine Schreiber, Archie Shelton, Michelle Sigler

# WHAT MOMENT WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO FORGET?

It was right after I lost my final tennis match in the regional. **Sam Zurbruggen**

Last year in German class I was caught cheating on a quiz. I had to go see Mr. Shrader and tell him what I did. It was really humiliating. **Mary Scott**

I haven't done anything that has really haunted me. I've done a lot of stupid little things though. **Brian Connelly**

It was at a dance competition when I was a sophomore. I still had glasses and we were finishing up a routine. I was too close to a girl and she kicked me and my glasses flew off. **-Ashley Highsmith**

**Daniela Sotirovski**

**Amanda Spears**  
**Laurie Spilgerber:** Diving-9,10; French Club-9,10; GVC-9,10; Gymnastics-9,10  
**Chris Spohn:** FCA-11; Honor Society-11,12; Kivans-12; Lettermen's Club-9,10,11,12; Spanish Club-9,10,11,12; Tennis-9,10,11,12; Valedictorian-12  
**Jason Stanley**

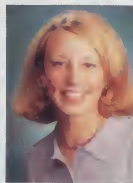
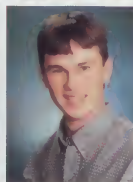
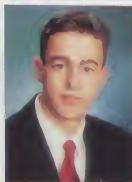
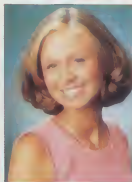
**Keri Stark:** Dance Team-9; French Club-11; Homecoming Court-9,10,11,12; Powderpuff-9; Spanish Club-9,10; Student Council-11  
**Nick Steen:** Auto Club-12; Hockey-12; Latin Club-9  
**Matt Steiger**  
**Amy Steinberg:** Basketball-9,10,11,12; Cross Country-9,10,11,12; FCA-9,10,11,12; GVC-9,10,11,12 (Vice President); Honor Society-12; Spanish Club-9,10  
**Vince Stephens**

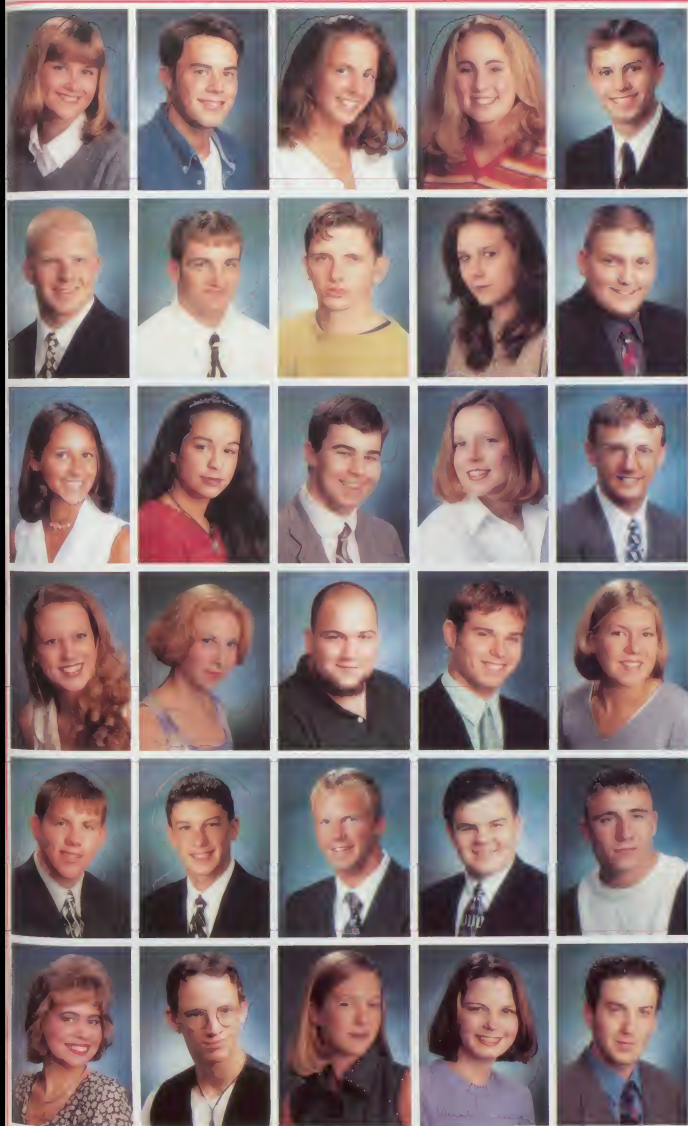
**Nicholas Sterna:** Auto Club-11,12 (Vice President); Drama Club-9,10,11,12; Thespians-10,11,12  
**Steve Stewart:** Drama Club-12; Football-9,10; Golf-9; Latin Club-9,10; Lettermen's Club-10; Mixed Chorus-12; Wrestling-9  
**Jennifer Statak:** Spanish Club-9,10,11; Student Council-10  
**Shannon Stockstill:** Powderpuff-9; Spanish Club-9,10,11  
**Brandy Strong**

**Joshua Sumner**

**Jeff Svihra:** Basketball-9,10,11; Football-9,10,11,12; Homecoming Court-12; Lettermen's Club-10,11,12 (Treasurer); Rotarians-12; Track-11,12  
**Joshua Swanson:** Academic Team-12; Auto Club-12; Football-9,10,11; Honor Society-12; Key Club-12; Lettermen's Club-9,10,11,12; Math Club-10,11,12; Peer as Resource-12; Spanish Club-9,10,11,12; Boys' State-12; Student Council-11,12; Swimming-9,10; Track-9,10,11  
**Janelle Swinehart**  
**Aleksandar Tatarski**

**Not pictured-** Sean Stark, Anthony Stevenson





Shannon Thom: Concert Band-9,10; Booster Club-9,10,11,12; Cheerleading-9,10; French Club-9,10,11,12; Gymnastics-9; Key Club-9,10,11,12; Powderpuff-9; Soccer-11,12(Manager); Track-10  
Brian Thomas: Football-9,10; French Club-9,10,11,12; Lettermen's Club-11,12

Jennifer Thomas: Concert Band-9; Colorguard-9,10,11; FCA-12; German Club-9,10,11,12; Peer as Resource-11,12; Windfall-11,12  
Erin Thompson: Biology Club-12; Booster Club-10,11; Cheerleading-11; Drama Club-10; Key Club-9; Latin Club-9,10,11

Nick Tourias: FCA-10,11,12; German Club-9,10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12; Lettermen's Club-10,11,12; Tennis-9,10; Track-10,12; Wrestling-10,11

Adam Trussnig: Football-9,10,11,12; Lettermen's Club-9,10,11,12; Swimming-9,10  
Ken Tucker: Baseball-9; Football-9,10,11,12; Homecoming Court-12; Lettermen's Club-10,11,12(Oiler)

Tim Tucker  
Erin Unhoch  
Dominic Valas: Concert Band-9,10,11,12; Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Pep Band-9,10; FCA-10; Wrestling-9,10

Jamie Vargo: Marching Band-9,10,11,12; Colorguard-9,10,11; Spanish Club-9,10,11  
Erin Villa  
Dan Waiter: Drama Club-10,11,12; German Club-9,10,11,12; Math Club-12

Mary Waiter: Basketball-10; HERO-12(Secretary); Track-9,10; Volleyball-9,10  
Justin Warren: Concert Band-9; French Club-9,10; Lettermen's Club-9,10,11,12; Peer as Resource-12; Soccer-9,11,12; Student Council-11,12; Swimming-9,10,11,12

Erin Weber  
Katherine Weber: Girls' Choir-9; Drama Club-10,11,12; History Club-11; Honor Society-12; In-kings-11,12(Associate Editor); Key Club-10; Kowans-12; Latin Club-9,10,11; Powderpuff-10; Quill & Scroll-12; Thespians-11,12; Windfall-10,11

Andrew Weeks  
Tom Weeks: Football-9,10,11,12; Lettermen's Club-10,11,12; Track-12; Wrestling-9,10,11,12  
Gail Wellbaker: Basketball-9,10,11,12; FCA-9,10,11,12; German Club-9,10; GVC-9,10,11,12; Rotarians-12; Volleyball-9,10,11,12

Jonah Weiss: Football-9,10,11,12; Lettermen's Club-10,11,12; Track-9; Wrestling-9  
Christopher Westforth: Basketball-9,10,11,12; Girls' Honor Society-11,12; Lettermen's Club-11,12; Spanish Club-9,10,11

Andrew Wheeler: Honor Society-11,12; Kowans-12; Lettermen's Club-9,10,11,12; Swimming-9,10,11,12(Captain); Track-11,12  
Michael Wheeler  
Bob White: German Club-9,10; Lettermen's Club-10,11,12; Wrestling-9,10,11,12

Tree White  
Paul Whitten  
Emily Wieser: Biology Club-12; GVC-10,11,12; Honor Society-11,12(Treasurer); Latin Club-9,10,11; Orchestra-9,10,11,12; Swimming-9,10,11

Karl Williams: Art Club-9,10,11,12; German Club-9; Jewelry Club-10; Powderpuff-9  
John Wilson: Baseball-9,10,11,12; Basketball-9; German Club-9; Lettermen's Club-12

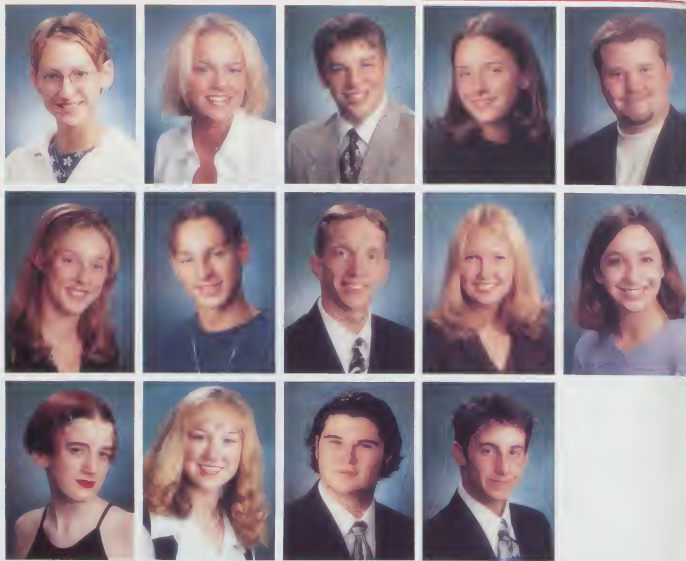
Not pictured: Julie Vinciguera, Stacy Watkins, Nicholas Whitlock



Liz Wittshier: Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9, 10, 11; Pap Band-9, 10, 11; Symphonic Band-10, 11; Cross Country-12; FCA-12; German Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Powderpuff-10; Track-9, 10, 11, 12; Heather Wirtz: HEBRO-11, 12 (President); Key Club-9; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11; Paul Wirtz: Baseball-9, 10, 11, 12 (Captain); German Club-11, 12; Rotarians-12; Spanish Club-9, 10; Torrey Wilham: Concert Band-9; Marching Band-9; Symphonic Band-10, 11, 12; Basketball-9; GYO-12; Honor Society-11, 12; Powderpuff-9, 10; Spanish Club-9, 10; Tennis-9, 10, 11, 12; Chad Wolfe: Concert Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Symphonic Band-12; Spanish Club-9, 10

Rasenne Woodke  
Martin Wysocki  
Ryan Yoder: Biology Club-11, 12; Honor Society-11, 12; Latin Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Orchestra-9, 10, 11, 12  
Danyelle Young  
Diane Zaragoza: Concert Band-9, 10; Marching Band-9, 10, 12; Pap Band-9, 10, 12; Symphonic Band-12; Concert Choir-10, 12; Girls' Choir-9; Show Choir-10, 12; French Club-9, 10, 12; Honor Society-12; Orchestra-12; Windfall-10

Rebecca Zemelko: Girls' Choir-9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club-9; French Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Windfall-10  
Stephanie Zic: Concert Choir-12; Girls' Choir-9; Mixed Choir-10, 11; Show Choir-9, 10, 11, 12; Colorguard-10, 11, 12 (Captain); German Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Math Club-12; Thespians-10, 11, 12; Volleyball-9  
Anthony Zunica  
Carl Zurbruggen: FCA-10, 11; Football-9; Key Club-12; Letterman's Club-11, 12; Peer as Resource-12; Spanish Club-9, 10, 11, 12; Tennis-10, 11, 12



**WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE OF ALL TIME?**

*The Star Wars Trilogy. You can watch it over and over again and never get tired of it.*  
-Matt Chelap



*Barry Gilmore because I like the sport of golf and in the movie he made the game fun and interesting.*  
-Adam Fargo



*Titanic was my favorite movie. The characters, costumes, and special effects were awesome.*  
-Marianna Borys





# WHAT IS ONE THING THAT YOU WILL MISS ABOUT HIGH SCHOOL?

“I will mostly miss my friends. In college, I won’t know as many people and all of my friends will have gone their separate ways.”  
-Natalie Moorehead  
“I will miss being with all of my best friends.”  
-Melissa Kijewski (below)



“I will miss talking to my friends everyday. Since I am attending college in Illinois, I won’t see my old friends that much.”  
-Meg Riester (above)



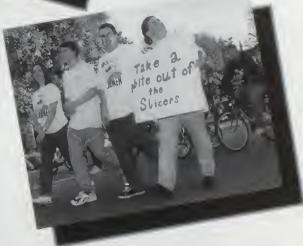
“High school is easy. You are told to learn and to do stuff. You have no real responsibilities.”  
-Josh Sumner (above)



“I will miss poms because it is something that I have done for 5 years. I love to dance and to perform at games, and I know I will miss it when it is over.”  
-Monica Huelat (left)

# WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE MOMENT?

“It was a band contest senior year. It was right after my grandfather died and I said this one was for him and we played our best that day. It was the first time all season we received best drum major.”  
-Beth Jessen



“The Gator Bowl trip for marching band. Even though we lost, we had lots of fun in Florida and on the bus trip.”  
-Chris Retson (Above)



“My most memorable moment was my freshman year when I went to Florida because it was the first time that I had ever been there.”  
-Angela Shepard



“At prom when the limo looked like a funeral hearse and the driver could not speak English and he got us lost.”  
-Jon Schach  
“When our cross country team finished third in the state and when we were basketball State Runner-Up.”  
-Kelly O'Brien (right)



"It gives me a strange, tingly feeling, like when I used to climb the rope in gym class."  
- Randy Asher



"Being an upperclassman is fun. You get more privileges and freedom; and to the senior class, 'I love you all!'"  
- Mandy Springman

# HOW DOES IT FEEL TO BE AN UPPER-CLASSMAN?

NATHAN ADAMS  
GREGORY ALDRICH  
JENNIFER ALT  
CARRIE ANDERSON  
ERIC ANDERSON

MICHAEL ANDERSON  
JUSTIN ANGELINI  
RYAN ANGERMAN  
VINCENT ARIZZI  
AARON ARMSTRONG

RANDALL ASHER  
JUSTIN ASHLEY  
SARA BABICH  
JENNIFER BACKE  
ANNE BALMES

NATALIE BARENIE  
JENNIFER BARKER  
JESSICA BARNHILL  
TABITHA BARTHOLOMEW  
ABIGAIL BARTZ

KIMBERLY BEACH  
BETH ANN BECK  
MELISSA BECKER  
KATIE BEESON  
AMANDA BENDER

BRITA BERNARD  
CRAIG BERNOTUS  
JAMES BERTRAM  
ERIK BILKA  
STEPHANIE BLOCKLAND



It feels great. You  
feel so much more  
relaxed and you  
have more power.  
- Ryan Rapp



I remember being a  
freshman and look-  
ing at the juniors and  
seniors and thinking  
they were so old. It's  
so hard to believe  
that I only have one  
more year in this  
place. - Danielle  
Cable



TIM BOARD  
AMANDA BOARDMAN  
RYAN BOMAR  
JOSEPH BOMBAGETTI  
JASON BONESTEEL  
KATHERINE BONNER  
PHILLIP BOONE

ANNE BOONJARERN  
CHAD BOOTH  
RAQUEL BORCHERT  
RICHARD BORSTIS  
THERESA BOSCIA  
STEFANIE BOSEL  
KATIE BOWEN

KARRIE BRANAM  
ROBERT BRANNON  
CHIET BROWN  
KELLY BROWN  
LAURA BRUNETTI  
EDWARD BUDNER  
MICHELLE BUEHRLE

JAMES BUHER  
JESSICA BULTA  
APRIL BUNCH  
MELISSA BURKE  
VALERIE BUSH  
DANIELLE CABLE  
JOHN CALARIE

KRISTEN CALLISON  
JAMEY CALLOW  
BRANDON CARR  
CARRIE CATALANO  
MEREDITH CERTA  
SARA CHANDLER  
KRIS CHANT

COLLEEN CHAPMAN  
ANGELA CHASE  
RICK CHILDRESS  
ANDREW CHRIST  
RYANE CHRISTY  
CAROLYN CLARK  
DAMEAN CLINTON

ANGIE COLBURN  
AMBER COLLINS  
AMY COLLINS  
JAMES CONNOLLY  
CLAYTON CORMICAN



DEAN COSTAKIS  
NICK CRAMER  
DYLAN CRANDALL  
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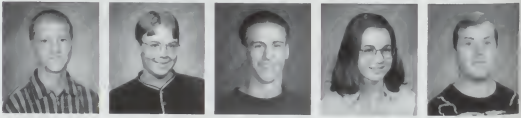
SHANNON DEDELOW  
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DAVID DELGADO  
DANA DEPAOLI  
ERIN DERRY



TEFFANY DIAZ  
MATTHEW DIEHL  
EUGENE DOFFIN  
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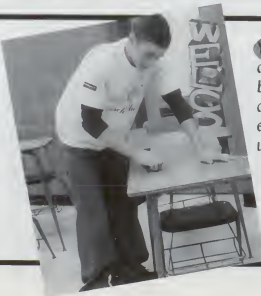


# ARE YOU EX- CITED ABOUT YOUR SENIOR YEAR?

“Nothing really has sunk in yet about moving up in high school. I really don't care too much. It's gonna happen whether I'm excited or not.”  
- Shondi Steeb



“Yes, I can't wait because we'll be the big boys of the high school. and I like the fact that everyone will look up to us.” - Pat Mills





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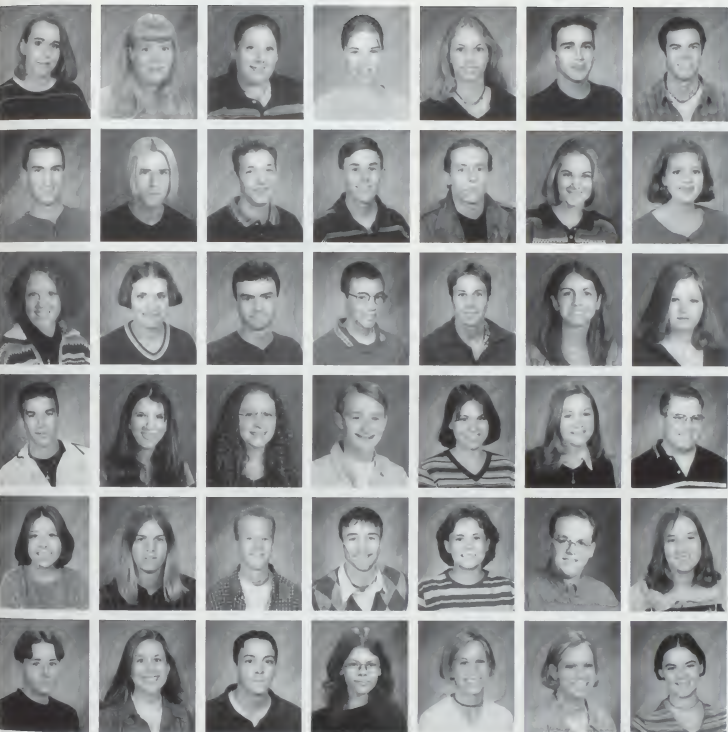
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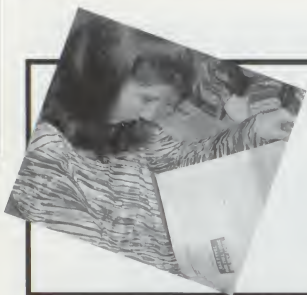
Yes, because I need  
to start cutting  
down on my college  
decisions.

- Tim Reilly



I am really excited  
for our senior year.  
It's something you  
look forward to  
your entire educa-  
tion! - Faith  
Robbins





"I regret not participating in anymore activities because if I did I would feel more accomplished."  
-Jenn Gold



"I regret not trying out for plays and musicals earlier. They are so much fun. I would recommend anyone to try out."  
-Laura McMahon

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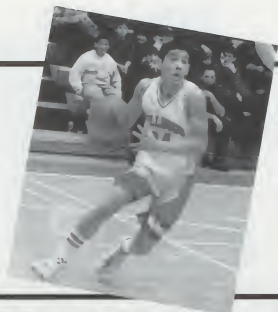


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"Regret not taking  
advantage of certain  
things when I had the  
chance to."

-Damean Clinton



"Regret not trying  
harder to get better  
grades. It's really  
hard to balance  
sports, school, and  
your social life."

-Sara Chandler



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DONALD LOTTER  
LAURA LOWRY

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YOU RE-  
GRET?

"I feel claustrophobic. I love the wide-open spaces."  
-Tim Board

"I don't think it's fair to the students who don't smoke, but in this situation we're in, it's one for all and all for one."  
-Al Pante

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LAUREN LUEDTKE  
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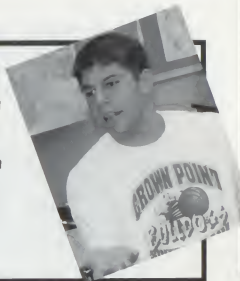
WHAT DO YOU  
THINK  
ABOUT  
CLOSED  
CAMPUS  
LUNCH



"I think we are not  
equipped for all  
the people who  
will be eating in  
the cafeteria."  
-Sara  
Gulbrandsen



"I hate the idea. If we had a  
big enough cafeteria, I  
really wouldn't care, but I  
don't want to eat my lunch  
at ten A.M. in an over-  
crowded cafeteria."  
-Jim Nickovich



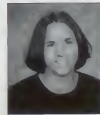
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# WHAT DID YOU DO FOR SPRING BREAK?



"I went to London, England with a group from school. It was the best trip I have ever taken! I loved London so much-I'm moving there."

-Stevie Greco



"I went to Virginia Beach to perform with many other kids from CPHS to compete in the annual competition held near Busch Gardens."

-Steve Parrish

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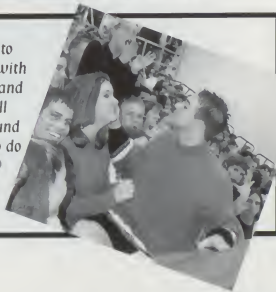
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"Once I had absolutely nothing to do. I went tanning nearly every day. I wanted to be at least look like I went somewhere. I had fun enough being out every night."  
-Megan LeNeave



"I was supposed to go to Alabama with my boys Justin and Glen, but that fell through, so I found a lot of things to do over that week."

-Al Guillen





"I was at home, and I had just got back from my friend's house. The next morning I woke up and it was completely covered with snow, and I had no power."  
-Julie Lyskava



"When the blizzard hit, I was sleeping. When I got up I had to dig out my car so I could go to basketball practice."  
-David Reed

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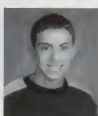
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TODD WERT  
MICHAEL WESTFORTH





“After twenty-four hours at home, cleaning closets, I made my way to Colleen Mayer’s house and we did everything from makeovers to making mix tapes.”  
Molly Oesterle



“Unfortunately I was at home when the blizzard hit, so I was stuck there for a few days. But after it calmed down, my friends and I got together and had slumber parties. It was a blast.”  
-Beth Jamison



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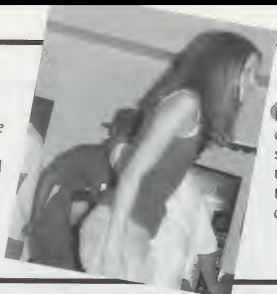


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WHAT WERE YOU DOING WHEN THE BLIZZARD HIT?



"Like it a lot. I am the man. Me and my homies cruz the hood all the time. -Andy Stewart



"It's cool to be able to drive, especially to school, but it's scary when you have friends that get into car accidents. -Sarah Steiger

# WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT GETTING YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE?

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VICTORIA ANDERSON  
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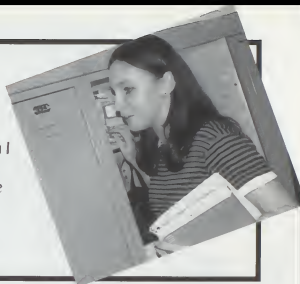
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"I'm really excited because now I have more freedom to do what I want, when I want."  
-Kim Lambka



"I can't wait to get my license so I can go anywhere when I want to, but I have never driven before so I'm not sure if I want to."  
-Gayle Mills



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BRIANNE BOOTH  
MONICA BOOTH  
PAUL BORIS  
ELIZABETH BOSTIAN  
ANGELA BOWIE  
DANIEL BOWSER



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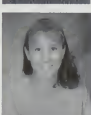
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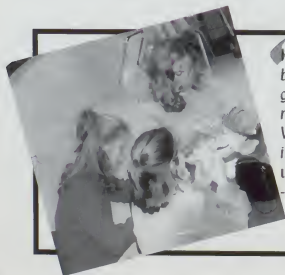
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# WHAT DID YOU DO OVER SUMMER VACATION?



"I played a lot of basketball. Open gym and A.A.U. kept me pretty busy. When I wasn't playing basketball, I was working on my tan."  
-Allyson Carnahan



"Spring break in Virginia Beach was a blast. I got to meet a lot of people and let my hair down."  
-Cyril Duffala





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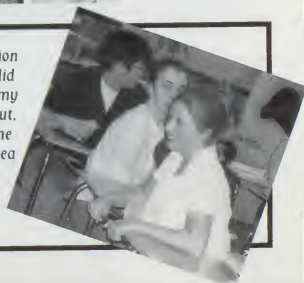
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"I like to go swimming  
and since I'm on the  
golf team I spend my  
extra time on the  
greens." -Kate Oberman

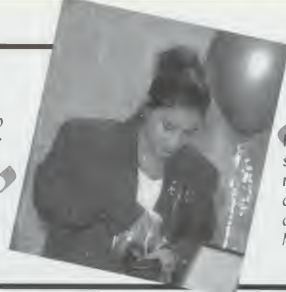


"Over summer vacation  
I had a blast. All I did  
was hang out with my  
friends, swim, lay out,  
and baby-sit for some  
extra money." -Andrea  
Tournis





"It feels good not to be so degraded for being a freshman and being young."  
-Kelly Keiser



"It feels basically the same, but I am more mature and I am not picked on as much."  
-Brianna Moore

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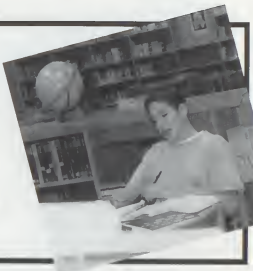
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My sophomore year has turned out to be much more exciting than my freshman year, now that I am used to all the homework and my busy schedule, and I can relax and have a good time. -Rhannon Amodeo



It feels great. No more getting pushed around and made fun of. Teachers respect me as an older student with more responsibilities and more maturity. -Tom Gancarz



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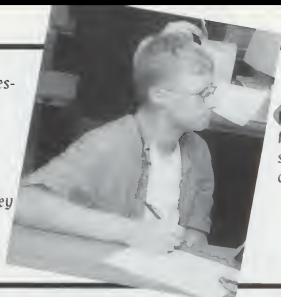


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"I think that it is necessary to build a new school because the hallways are too crowded and the building is falling apart." -Erica Massey



"I think we need a new facility because our school is really falling apart." -David Meyers

# WHAT WAS YOUR VIEW ABOUT BUILDING A NEW SCHOOL?

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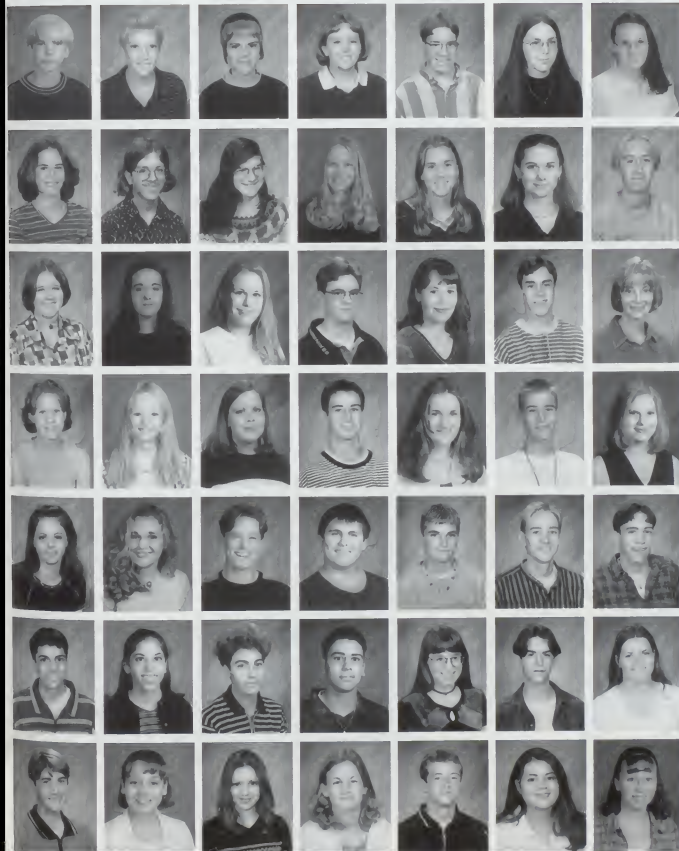
"I agree with the building a new school. I think they need to decide soon instead of making improvements on the old high school."

-Rachel Bickel



"I most definitely think that a new school should be built. We really need one."

-Brittany Brumbaugh



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MICHELE PERILLO  
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MATTHEW PHILLIPS  
MARJANA PISKULOSKI  
ERIN PLUMLEY

# WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU FOUND OUT THAT PRINCESS DIANA HAD DIED?

RYAN POPE  
WAYNE POSTLETHWAIT  
PHILIP POULTON  
TATIJANA PRENOSKI  
DANIEL QUERING

TIFFANY RAMSEY  
RACHEL RANDOLPH  
WILLIAM RASHIN  
BRIAN REID  
SCOTT REIMER

BRIAN RETSON  
AUDRA RIMKUS  
CELINA RIVERA  
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KENNETH ROBINSON

STARR RODGERS  
LISA RODRIGUEZ  
SUE RODRIGUEZ  
CHARLIE ROLLINS  
PETER ROSDIL

CHRISTOPHER ROSS  
SARAH RUCINSKI  
NICOLE RUEHL  
JON RUKAS  
DONALD RUSH

JULIA RUSSELL  
MELISSA RUSSELL  
ELIZABETH SABATO  
KRISTINA SAMARDZIJA  
JOHN SANBACH



"I was at home when I heard that Princess Diana had died and I could not believe it."  
-Kristina Miller



"I was on vacation with Leslie Huelat. Her dad had told us. I thought that he was joking at the time."  
-Kathleen Lambert



WILLIAM SANFORD  
KATE SARBIEWSKI  
GRACE SBALCHIERO  
RACHAEL SCHAAPSMA  
KATHRYN SCHATZMAN  
BREANNE SCHULDBERG  
JOSEPH SCHMIDT



SCOTT SCHUENEMAN  
GIL SCHUITEMA  
CARRIE SCOTT  
DANIELLE SCOTT  
THOMAS SCOTT  
PAUL SEDLAK  
AARON SERAFIN



MAUREEN SERTICH  
RIKKI SESSUM  
KRISTEN SHIMALA  
SIMONE SIDWELL  
CHAD SIMINSKI  
NICK SITARAS  
TIFFANY SKEKLOFF



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JENA SMITH  
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MICHAEL SMITH  
RICHARD SMITH  
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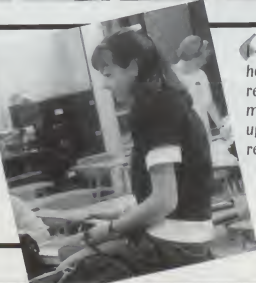
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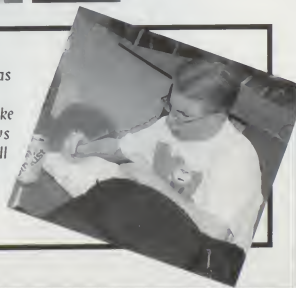
"I was very busy that week, and I happened to be running through my living room when I recapped it on the news. I just stopped and listened."

-Julia Hamilton



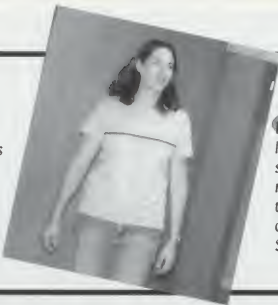
"I was at my aunt's house in Ohio. It was really early in the morning when I woke up and saw the news reports."

-Rob Stegall





“They don’t really treat me differently. I’ve always had older friends, but now we do more things together.” —Maureen Serfich



“I am friends with a lot of upperclassmen so they don’t treat me any differently than someone their own age.” —Bre Schelberg

MELISSA STONECIPHER  
JASON STRONG  
JUSTIN STURM  
STEPHANIE SULT  
JOHN SUM  
ISAAH SUMNER



MICHAEL SYKES  
JEANNA SYLER  
JAMES SYMMES  
AUSTIN SZALMASAGI  
SHIVANI TEJUJA  
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PAUL VILLAREAL  
MORGAN VLASSOPOULOS



AMBER VOLK  
LAUREN VOYLES  
KELLIE WADE  
NATALIE WAHLBERG  
RYAN WALTON  
CHRISTOPHER WATTS





"No, I didn't mind being a freshman because no one ever really gave me any grief." Angela Heinzman



"No, I don't think they treat me any differently. They were never mean to me then, and they aren't mean to me now." -Katie Schatzman



EDWARD WEBER  
CHRIS WEEKS-BARNITT  
TERRY WERT  
CASSIE WERTIN  
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MARISA WHEELER  
THOMAS WICINSKI  
CORY WILLIAMS  
JEREMY WILLIAMS  
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NATHAN WILLIAMS  
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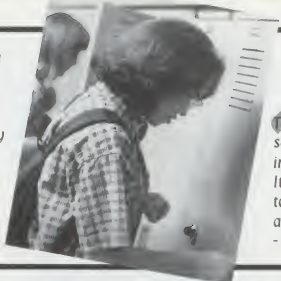


STEVEN ZUNIGA

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“My first day of high school was pretty good. I found all of my classes and I knew people in every class.”  
- Kristen Slepcevic



“The first day of high school was very exciting but really hectic. It was great being able to see all of my friends again.”  
- Sarah Archer

# WHAT WAS YOUR FIRST DAY OF HIGH SCHOOL LIKE

KATHRYN ADAMS  
CHRISTOPHER AIELLO  
JOVAN ALEKSOSKI  
KELLY ALEXANDER  
ALANA ALTEMUS

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ERIN ANDERSHOCK  
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JENNY ANDRETICH  
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CHRISTOPHER ANGELUCCI  
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MARY BALMES

WILLIAM BARANCYK  
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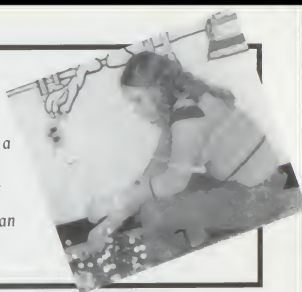
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ADAM BILKA



It was different  
because I got so lost.  
but in a couple of  
days I totally knew  
where I was going.  
It was pretty fun.  
- Courtney Sertich



It was great. I met a  
lot of people and  
everyone was nice.  
None of the upper-  
classmen were mean  
or anything.  
- Natalie Nix



SHANNON BISHOP  
STEPHANIE BLACK  
CASIE BLOCKLAND  
EDDIE BLOCKLAND  
ANDREW BODINET  
ALEKSANDAR BOGEV  
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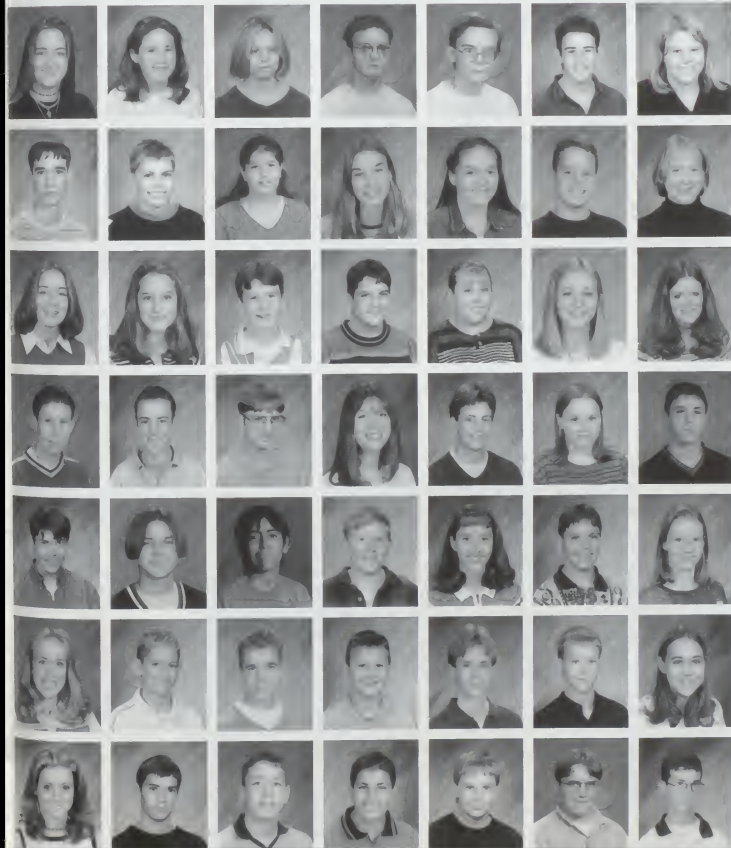
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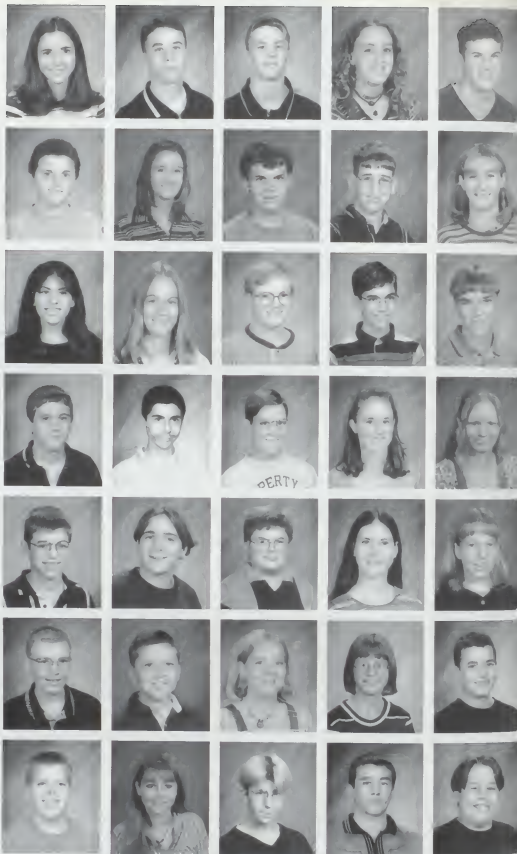
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MICHAEL DWAN  
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JAMIE ELLSWORTH  
ANTHONY ERIKS

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# WHERE DO YOU MOST ENJOY SPENDING YOUR LUNCH TIME?



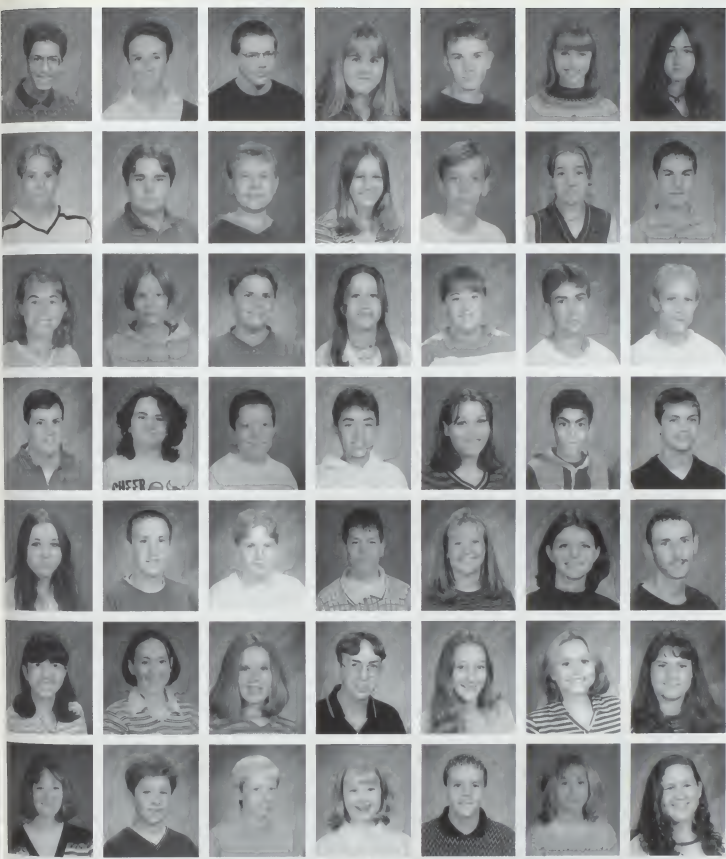
"I stay inside because going out for lunch is just a waste of time."  
- Jessica Higginbotham

"Unlike everyone else, I eat in the cafeteria. Going out is really no big deal."  
- Kelly Hein



"Most of the time I go out for lunch, but if the weather outside is really bad, then I eat in the cafeteria."  
- Esther White





JACOB FERNANDEZ  
CHARLES FESTA  
TIMOTHY FISHER  
MARGARET FLEMING  
RYAN FLEMING  
LAURELIN FLOYHAR  
JENNIFER FOGARTY

ERIC FOSTER  
ERIC FRAHM  
DARYN FRANK  
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AUDREY FRIANT  
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DANA GRANGER  
JACK GRANGER

MARY GREEN  
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KELLY GROSS  
NICHOLAS GRUBE  
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CELIA GURA  
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KAREN HALEY  
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ROYCE HAMENDE  
REBECCA HAMILTON  
ROBBI HANSON  
ERICA HARBIN  
RACHEL HARRELL

"I eat lunch in the cafeteria with my friends because there is not enough time to go out to lunch."  
- Katie Chelap



"I eat lunch in the cafeteria because all of my friends stay inside and eat."  
- Karissa Guyer



"I was really excited, but I was also really scared. I was so glad to come here because I would get to meet new and older people"

- Lindsay Cox

"I was excited for all the formal dances and about meeting a lot more people"

- Amanda Bernard

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NATALIE HARRIS  
LAKEA HARVEY  
CORY HARWOOD  
KELLI HEIN  
JOSHUA HEINTZMAN  
MATTHEW HELPEN

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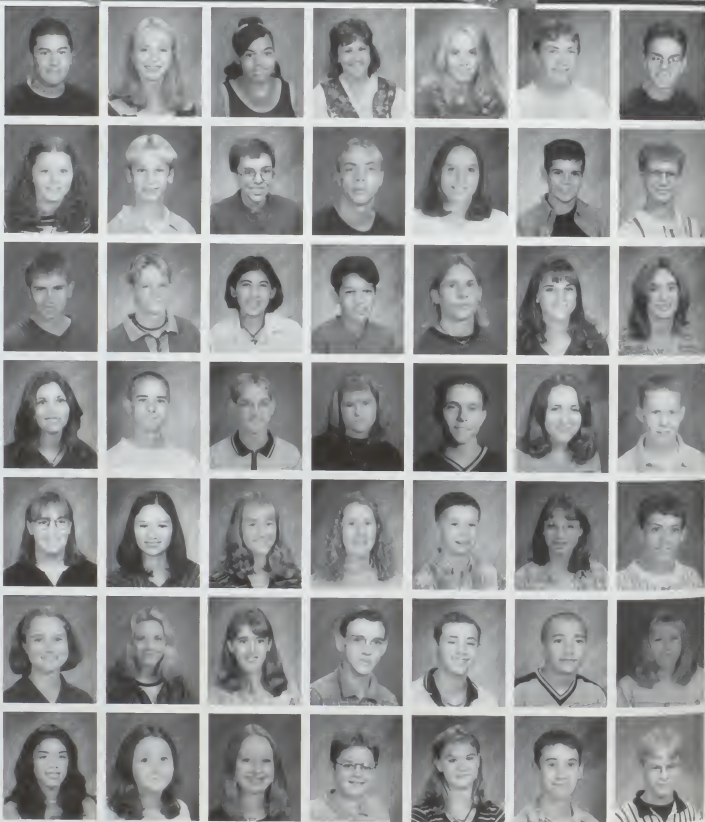
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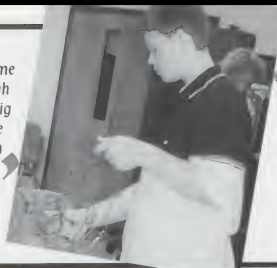
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ASHLEY KASTER  
CHRISTOPHER KEENEY  
JESSICA KELSEY  
AARON KENNEDY  
ADAM KERR



"I was happy to come to Crown Point High School. It was a big change because the school I came from was really small."  
- Dan Smith



"I was afraid of getting lost in the hallways or not being able to get my locker open."  
- Anthony Eriks



BETHANY KETCHER  
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KEVIN LADUKE  
ERIC LAKICH

WHAT WERE SOME OF YOUR FEARS ABOUT COMING TO THE HIGH SCHOOL?



"I thought every-  
one assumed that  
all we were was  
a bunch of stupid  
freshman."  
-Stephanie Tithof



Some stereotypes  
were that we were  
inferior to upper-  
classmen, immature,  
or just because we  
were freshman we  
were automatically  
stupid."  
-Jill Bradford

# WHAT STEREO- TYPES DID YOU RUN INTO AT THE HIGH SCHOOL?

HILLARY LANDIS  
HEATHER LARSEN  
CHAD LEATHERS  
STEVEN LENEAVE  
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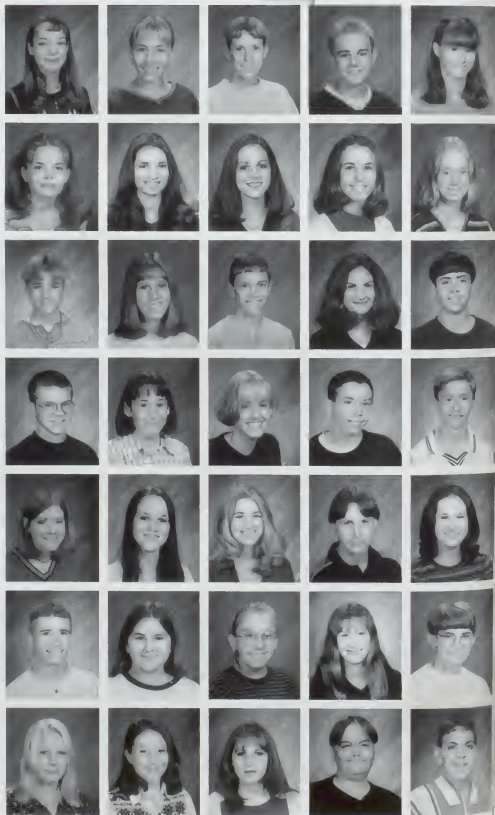
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DEREK LYSK  
CHRIS LYNN

CANDICE MACIS  
JENNIFER MAGEE  
KELLY MANFRED  
JERROD MANN  
MELISSA MARIOLA

RYAN MARKOWSKI  
CRYSTAL MARTIN  
KELLY MARTIN  
ASHLEY MATTOX  
NATHAN MATTOX

AMY MAYHEW  
JENNIFER MAYNARD  
HALEY MCBURNEY  
STEVEN MCCOLLEY  
JUSTIN MCCONNELL





"I thought the upperclassmen would be mean towards us in our classes, but they weren't at all."  
-Jill Schiesser



"As a freshman, I noticed that seniors really don't like us."  
-Nate Reilly



THOMAS MCCUMBER  
JODI MCFADDEN  
BRIAN MELLIS  
PHIL MENGEL  
MICHELE MENIG  
KATHERINE METROS  
JESSICA MEYER

BRIAN MIHALIK  
GREG MIJARES  
ERIC MIKUTA  
CANDACE MILLER  
JOSEPH MILLER  
JUSTIN MILLER  
KELLY MILLER

LAUREN MILLER  
RICHARD MILLER  
CAROLYN MILLSTEAD  
MICHELLE MIOTKE  
JUSTIN MITCHELL  
DARRIN MONROE  
WILLIAM MOORE

KELLI MORGAN  
ALLISON MORRIS  
ANGEL MORRIS  
SHEENA MORRIS  
CYNTHIA MOTA  
DANIEL MOTKOWICZ  
MEGAN MULLEN

THOMAS MULLINS  
MARCIE MUNDT  
VICTORIA MURPHY  
AMANDA MYERS  
NICHOLAS MYERS  
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DANIEL PANOZZO  
BRIAN PANTE

MARY PARKER  
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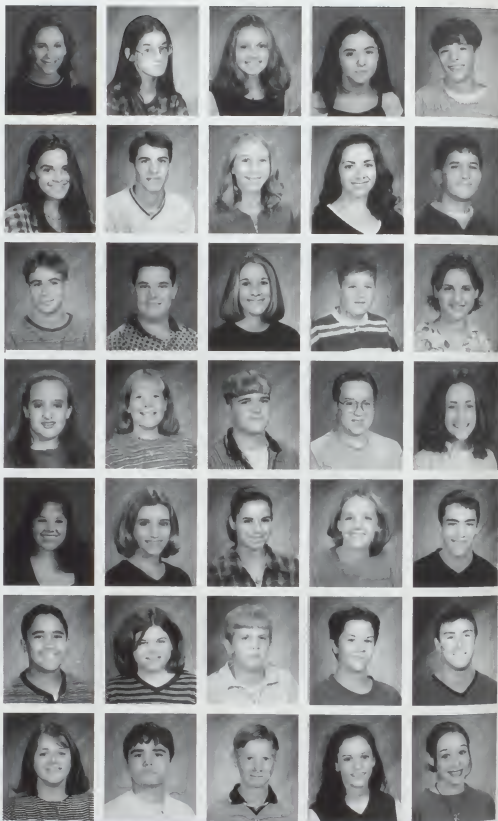
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# WHAT WAS YOUR FIRST FORMAL DANCE LIKE?

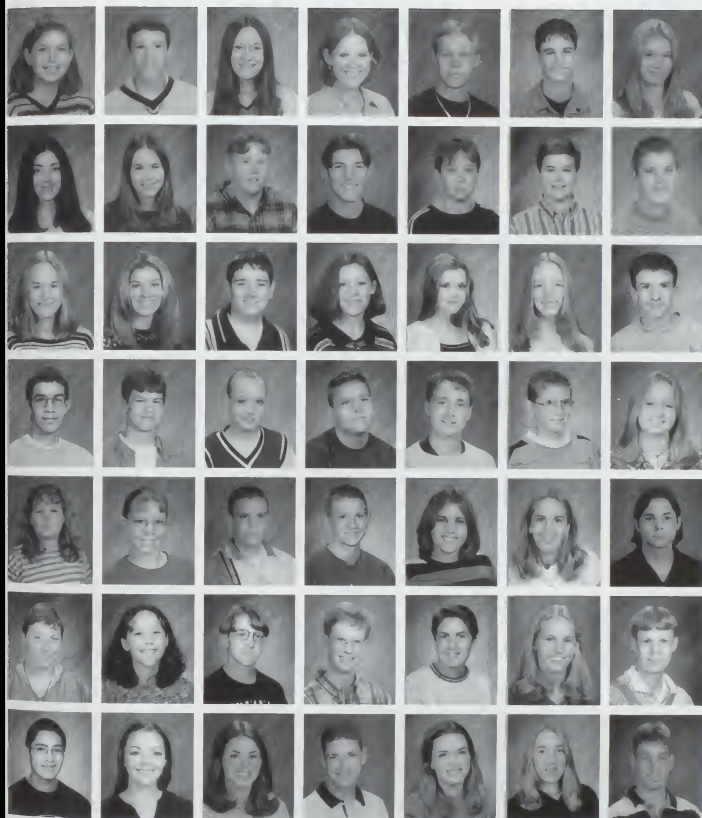
"It was better than Taft's dances. The music was better, there were more people, it was a bigger place, and there were free munchies."

-Kelly Miller

"I had a blast, but I was so nervous before I went because I was afraid of falling in my heels. But after the dance, we went with another couple to T.G.I. Friday's, which also made the night fun."

-Laura Schmitz





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ERIN SHANLEY  
AMANDA SHERIDAN  
MICHAEL SHIMKUS

"I was sick, but it was fun. Despite my fever, I had a great time."  
-Farren Roark



"It was great! The best thing was that you could get to see your friends all dressed up and when the dance was over you could party at someone's house!"  
-Emily Steiger







She's going to need a lot of support—mental, physical, and financial—  
-Lindsay Ciochina



“I thought it was amazing that someone could actually have seven babies.”  
-Michael Kyaga

BRET SHORT  
JASON SITARAS  
KRISTEN SLEPCVICH  
DANIEL SMITH  
JUSTIN SMITH  
TRAVIS SMITH  
RACHEL SMOCK



ANDREW SOBUCKI  
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ELLIOTT SPREHE



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STEPHANIE TITHOF  
RHIANNA TOMASZAK  
DANIEL TOTLEBEN  
AMANDA TURNER  
CHRISTINA VACA



LINDSAY VALENTINO  
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MICHAEL VASILE  
TIFFANY VENA  
SAMANTHA VERSNEL  
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AMBER VISAK

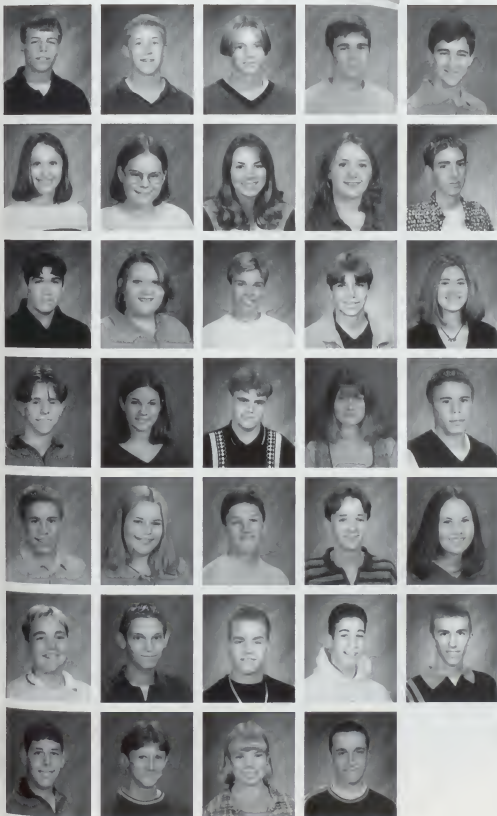
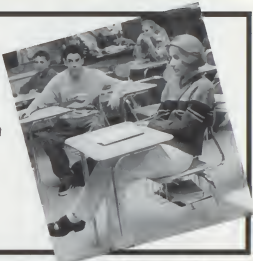




"I think it was great that they all lived, but I think it will be hard to raise seven babies at one time."  
-Alison Ruess



"I'm totally against abortion, so I think it was great that she tried to have all seven of the babies."  
-Jamie Peterson



DAVID VLINK  
DALE WAGNER  
JAMES WALSH  
BRIAN WALTER  
CHARLES WALTER

AMBER WALTERS  
GINA WARD  
LAURA WARNE  
COURTNEY WARREN  
DAVID WASSEROTT

JASON WATHEN  
CRYSTAL WEAVER  
JOSHUA WELLS  
THOMAS WEST  
ESTHER WHITE

JUSTIN WHITESELL  
KIRA WHITLOCK  
RYAN WIATER  
CRYSTAL WICKER  
KEVIN WILKINSON

RYAN WILKINSON  
KRISTEN WILLIAMS  
NICHOLAS WIRTZ  
QUINN WITHAM  
JACQUELINE WITT

MATTHEW WOLWARK  
BRIAN YOUNG  
JOSHUA YURAN  
MATTHEW YURAN  
JOSHUA ZACHER

NICHOLAS ZESTANAKIS  
ADAM ZIMMERMAN  
SARAH ZONDOR  
MICHAEL ZURBRIGGEN

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MOTHER  
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SEVEN  
BABIES  
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ONCE?



*"I wanted to be a fashion designer because I loved making clothes for my dolls and drawing clothes for paper dolls."*

-Mrs. Sykes (Art)



*"An archaeologist because of a book I read about Egypt when I was in 7th grade."*

-Mrs. Elder (Foreign Language)

**Aldrich, Sharon:** Purdue, M.S. - Dept. Head, Home Economics, H.E.R.O. Club Sponsor  
**Andrew, Bill:** Purdue, M.S. - Athletic Director  
**Austgen, Jan:** Central Michigan, M.A. - Health and Physical Education  
**Badyak, Sandra:** Purdue, M.A.T. - Math  
**Ballou, Everett:** Indiana, M.S. - Dean of Students



**Bangsberg, Carol:** Wisconsin at Eau Claire, B.A. - Foreign Language, Spanish Club Sponsor  
**Baranczyk, Paula:** Valparaiso, M.S. - Social Studies, Student Council Sponsor  
**Bare, John:** Purdue, M.S. - Department Head, Industrial Arts  
**Bazin, Steve:** Indiana, M.S. - English  
**Beard, Diane:** Purdue Calumet, M.S. - Department Head, Computer Technology, Web Team Sponsor



**Belei, Robert:** Ball State, B.S. - Industrial Arts, Welding and Auto Club Sponsor  
**Bennet, Sue Ellen:** Indiana, M.S. - English  
**Bernacky, Donald:** Purdue, B.A. - Social Studies, Distance Learning Seminar Group Sponsor  
**Bertolo, Susan:** Governor's State, M.A. - Special Education  
**Bradshaw, Gerald:** Harvard, B.A. - Industrial Arts



**Bregitzer, Laura:** Valparaiso, M.A.L.S. - English  
**Buck, Diane:** Indiana, M.S. - English  
**Buczowski, Maryann:** Purdue, M.S. - Business Education  
**Bugenhagen, Joan:** Purdue, M.A.T. - Math  
**Bunda, Dennis:** Ohio State, B.S. - Social Studies, Head Track Coach



**Bush, Chad:** Wabash, B.A. - English, Freshman Baseball Coach, Asst. Football Coach  
**Caravana, Jerry:** Ball State, M.A. - Business, Asst. Athletic Director, Letterman's Club Sponsor  
**Chary, Jullia:** Pittsburgh, M.A. - Foreign Language, French Club Sponsor  
**Chelap, Michael:** Indiana, M.A. - Science, Boys' and Girls' Varsity Golf Coach  
**Ciochina, Deb:** Purdue, M.S. - English, Asst. Drama Director



"I wanted to work in an orphanage caring for babies and young children because I loved children."

-Mrs. Buczkowski  
(Business)



"In the Army. My dad was in the WWII and I thought I owed my country something."

-Mr. Dykiel  
(Social Studies)



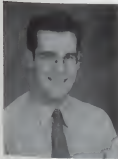
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**Coghill, Ronald:** Indiana, M.S. - English  
**Colver, Deborah:** Valparaiso, B.S. - English



**Conard, Robert:** Indiana, M.A.T. - Science  
**Cooper, Richard:** Indiana, B.S. - Guidance Counselor  
**Cowan, Becky:** Purdue, M.A. - Guidance Counselor, Key Club Sponsor, Freshman Volleyball Coach



**Cuffia, Deborah:** Indiana, M.S. - Department Head, English, Girls' Varsity Tennis Coach  
**David, Michael:** Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, M.S. - Math  
**Deal, James:** Ball State, M.S. - Music, Orchestra Director



**Degenhart, Kit:** Purdue, B.A. - Theatre, English, Drama Director, Girls' Soccer Asst. Coach  
**Duffala, Judy:** School Receptionist/Secretary  
**Duquette, Don:** Purdue-Director of Food Services

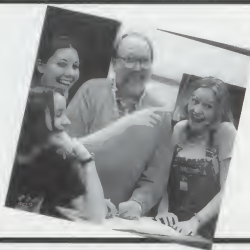


**Dykiel, Victor:** Indiana Northwest, M.S. - Social Studies  
**Elder, Susan:** Indiana, M.S. - Foreign Language  
**Emole, Bonnie:** Attendance Aid

WHEN YOU WERE OUR AGE, WHAT DID YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GREW UP?



"Looked up to my father and grandfather because these are the two hardest working men I know."  
-Mr. Degenhart  
(Drama & English)



"Looked up to political leaders like President Eisenhower and Kennedy. I also admired sports heroes like Mickey Mantle and Stan Musial."  
-Mr. Holcomb  
(Social Studies)

**Equihus, Art:** Wabash, B.A. - Department Head, Social Studies, Varsity Basketball and Football Coach  
**Franko, Kathy:** School Board President  
**Gatto, Tony:** Indiana State-Industrial Arts  
**Grzych, Bonnie:** Attendance  
**Haley-Borodine Joanne:** Roosevelt, M.S. - Department Head, Choral Music, Choir Sponsor



**Hall, Nancy:** Indiana, B.S. - Department Head, L.D. English, Voc. Social Studies  
**Hardman, James:** Butler, M.S. - Principal  
**Harrison, Lisa:** Ball State, B.A. - English  
**Harvan, Patricia:** Purdue, B.A. - Media Paraprofessional  
**Henderson, Dana:** Indiana, B.A. - English, Foreign Language, A-Team



**Henley, Angie:** Indiana, B.S. - Physical Education and Health, J.V. Volleyball Coach  
**Holcomb, Jerry:** Butler, M.A. - Social Studies, Asst. Boys' Cross Country Coach  
**Horner, Robert:** Purdue, M.A.T. - English  
**Hutchison, R.L.:** Purdue Calumet, M.S. - Math  
**Iddings, Keith:** Northern Illinois B.S. - Math, Head Boys' Cross Country Coach, Boys' Track Asst. Coach, F.C.A. Sponsor



**Ingelhart, James:** Purdue, M.S. - Social Studies, Head Softball Coach  
**Jacobs, Beth:** Valparaiso, B.A. - Math, Head Volleyball Coach, Girls' Basketball Asst. Coach  
**Johnson, Dotty:** Indiana, M.S. - Department Head, Science  
**Johnson, Tom:** Wabash, B.A. - Math, Varsity Basketball Coach  
**Kaiser, Francie:** Registrar



**Kinney, Darwin:** Indiana, M.S. - Science  
**Kish, Jean:** Athletic Secretary  
**Kowalski, Bernard:** Indiana, M.A. - Social Studies  
**Kvachoff, Barbara:** Bookkeeper  
**Lange, Diane:** Valparaiso, M.A.S. - English, Peer Resource, Peer Resource Sponsor





“Looked up to my sister. I thought she was AWESOME, and I wanted to be just like her.”

-Ms. Henderson  
(English & Foreign Language)

“Most amateur athletes, especially swimmers since I swam at the Indianapolis Athletic Club where there were several Olympians. I had 3 or 4 state champions swimming in my age group.”

-Mr. Coghill. (English)



Lazzaro, Barbara: Purdue, B.S.-

Home Economics

Loving, Kelly: Purdue Calumet, M.S.-

Science, Speech Club Sponsor

Lowery, Janice: Purdue Calumet,

M.A.T.-Math



Malaski, Mike: St. Joseph's, B.S.-English,

Girls' Soccer Coach, Freshman Girls'

Basketball Coach

May, Nancy: Indiana, M.S.-Department

Head, Math, Math Team Sponsor

May, Tom: Indiana, M.S.-Department

Head, Physical Education, Boys' Tennis

Coach, Girls' Basketball Coach



McFann, Paul: Ball State, Ed.D.-

Superintendent of Schools

Miklosy, Nora: St. Louis, B.A.-Math

Mola, James: Ball State, D.Ed.-

Assistant Principal



Nicholich, Michael: School Board

Niendorf, John: Idaho State, B.A.-

Foreign Language, Japanese Club

Sponsor

Norris, Doug: Indiana, M.S.-Physical

Education, Swim and Dive Team



O'Brien, Ed: Indiana, M.S.-Math

Overbeek, Rhonda: Ball State, B.S.-

English, Publications Advisor

Pancini, Donna: Indiana Northwest, M.S.-

Art

WHEN YOU  
WERE  
YOUNGER,  
WHO WERE  
YOUR ROLE  
MODELS?

"Once had a student  
sit in Latin for 4  
weeks before he  
realized it wasn't  
Spanish."

-Mr. Rucinski  
(Counselor)

"Broke up a fight my  
first year teaching and  
Mr. O'Brian grabbed  
me and tried taking  
me to the office be-  
cause he thought I  
was a student."  
-Mr. Smoljan (Business  
& Computer)

**Penzato, Coral:** Purdue Calumet,  
M.S.-Guidance Counselor  
**Papa, Christine:** Valparaiso, B.S.-  
Math, J.V. Softball Coach  
**Price, Ruth Ann:** Indiana, M.A.-  
Foreign Language  
**Ready, Carrie:** Illinois, B.S.N.-  
School Nurse  
**Rivero, Carol:** Indiana, M.S.-  
Foreign Language, Spanish Club  
Sponsor

**Rosenbaum, David:** Middlebury,  
M.A.-Department Head, Foreign  
Language, German Club Sponsor  
**Roth, David:** School Board  
**Rucinski, Richard:** Indiana, M.S.-  
Guidance Counselor  
**Sacksteder, Todd:** Missouri, B.S.-  
Social Studies, Freshman Asst.  
Coach, Varsity Asst. Wrestling  
Coach  
**Schlueter, Judy:** Principal's  
Secretary

**Schoon, David:** Indiana, M.A.T.-  
Science  
**Schreiber, Carol:** Indiana, M.S.-  
Business  
**Shaffer, Peggy:** Purdue Calumet,  
M.S.-Band, Marching and Pep  
Band Sponsor  
**Sharp, Bruce:** Ball State, B.S.-  
Science  
**Shrader, Larry:** Indiana, M.S. -  
Assistant Principal

**Smoljan, Charles:** Indiana, M.S. -  
Business  
**Smyser, Diana:** Assistant  
Superintendent  
**Steiger, Christy:** Purdue Calumet,  
M.S.-English  
**Sylvira, Richard:** Indiana, M.S.-  
Business  
**Sykes, Diane:** Murray State,  
M.E.D. -Department Head, Art,  
Senior English

**Szot, Janet:** Indiana, M.S. -  
English, G.V.C. Sponsor  
**Tachtiris, George:** Purdue, M.S. -  
Audiovisual Director, Mass Media  
Instructor, Girls' Track Asst. Coach  
**Topp, Edward:** Purdue, B.S. -  
Industrial Arts  
**Tournis, Diane:** Indiana, B.S. -  
L.R.E. Facilitator, Voc. Science,  
Voc. Government/Economics  
**Trippier, Bryan:** Purdue, B.S. -  
Science, Academic Decathlon,  
Spell Bowl, Quiz Bowl Sponsor



There was once a father who was upset with some teachers and he came in unexpectedly on St. Patrick's Day wearing a kilt and carrying bagpipes. After he left someone said, "The problem with that family is that no one wears the pants - Mr. Cooper (Counselor)"



"In the first week in my present classroom, all of the newly installed cabinets fell and spilled ink all over the floor. It was so thick that I had to use a scoop shovel to pick it up."

-Mr. Bare (Graphic Arts)



Turman, Carolyn: Purdue, M.S. - Home Economics  
Vaccaro-Pera, Linda: Valparaiso, M.S. - Art  
Vance, Denise: Purdue, M.S. - Social Studies, Student Council Sponsor



Vasallo, Betty: Library Secretary  
Walker, Jeremy: Indiana, M.A. - Foreign Language, National Honor Society Sponsor  
Wayco, Phyllis: Purdue, M.S. - Science



Weilbaker, Anna: Bookstore Manager  
Williams, Maureen: Attendance Aid  
Wilson, Carol: Indiana, M.S. - English



Witt, Ken: Indiana, M.S. - Science, Girls' Cross Country and Track Coach  
Woodburn, Julie: Indiana, M.O.S. - Media Specialist  
Zea, Rae Jean: Attendance Director

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**Not Pictured:**

Coy, Mike: Central Michigan, B.S. - Science  
Epplike, Dave: Northeast Michigan State, M.A. - Physical Education and Health, Head Football Coach  
Kozel, Rosellen: Indiana, M.S. - Work/Study Class, Work Experience  
Kleinamdt, Charles: School Board  
Harvel, William: Welding  
Pavik, Steve: Building Manager  
Vink, Scott: Indiana, M.S. - Basic Strength Training, Head Wrestling Coach, Freshman Football Coach  
Webster, Jackie: School Board



# PEOPLE, BUSINESSES,

*Community supports school and students*

## JOBS EQUAL COMMUNITY

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“A lot of funny things happened to me at work. First of all, I work at a car wash. One time a lady came through the car wash, and bought the “Works”; the one that has the rust inhibitor included. After going through the wash, she asked why her car, that had more rust than paint, was still rusty. I thought she was joking, but she was serious. ‘The car wash will prevent further rusting, but it won’t turn your Beater into a Caddy, Lady.’ Another time, a lady wanted to run her car, but her bumper was falling off. We told her she shouldn’t because it would probably be damaged. She insisted, and when she came through, her bumper was bent into a ‘W’ shape.”

—JARRETT BABINCSAK (12)

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## SAFE & SOUND

As always, the community had a big impact on the lives of students as well as the whole school system. Students needed the local businesses not only for basic supplies, but also to provide them with jobs to raise that needed cash for a car, college, or just entertainment. In addition, the local businesses needed the students just as much, for their purchases or services. Since students had the choice of going outside for lunch, restaurants depended on their patronage. Even though students weren’t permitted to drive, they were able to walk to Domino’s, McDonalds, or any of the restaurants, Deli’s, or carts around or near the square.

Showing their appreciation, local businesses supported many fund-raisers, whether it was for a club or a sport. Businesses all around town and the square took part in supporting the

school. They allowed students to decorate their windows for Spirit Week. Burger King helped the Girls’ Basketball team with their fundraiser. They sold trading cards, and anyone who purchased a trading card could receive a free whopper with the purchase of one. In addition, the community posted flyers of the Drama Club’s productions throughout the neighborhood and in their businesses. By purchasing ads to be placed in the yearbook and issues of the newspapers, local businesses supported the *Excalibur* and the *Inklings*. Besides fundraisers, the community also took part in showing their school spirit by attending athletic events.

Helping to keep students out of trouble, the police cruised around the school area daily. Every morning at lunch, and after school, officers patrolled the parking lots. They made sure students had parking stickers, didn’t leave campus in a car at lunch, and basically arrived and left safely. Not only did officers patrol the school grounds during the afternoons, they also did so during the evenings during basketball and football games.

Crown Point was named “The Safest City in Indiana,” only proving the community did its best to make us feel “Safe & Sound.”



Community





After ringing up a sale, Lauren Kieser (11), gives her customer the proper change. "I enjoyed working at Record Town in the mall. Not only because the mall is a popular hang out, but also because I get a good discount," said Lauren.



After finishing his lunch, Chris Ramirez, engages in a friendly conversation with fellow senior, Seth Skaggs. McDonald's was a popular place to hang out, whether it was during lunch or on the weekends, and it also provided many students with jobs.

"My favorite place to go is Burger King in town, even though I work at Little Caesar's. The new YMCA is pretty cool too."  
-Casey Polovich (11)



"I joined the YMCA to stay in shape. I like the fact that I can go just anywhere in our town, and see a friendly face."  
- Nicole Dwan (11)





Princess Diana

IN THE



Mother Teresa

# News

**World and local news shocks and informs the public**



Bill Clinton

**T**ragic deaths and unique births topped the list of the stories that happened in the news. By far, the death of Princess Diana of Wales sparked the most media coverage and stunned the world. Britain and the rest of the world bid farewell to the princess in September after a tragic car crash that claimed the life of her, and her boyfriend, Dodi Fayed. A week after Diana's death, Mother Teresa, the revered Roman Catholic nun who ministered to India's poorest of the poor, died at 87 of a heart attack. She dedicated her life to helping the poor and the sick. Also in September, many

businesses came to a standstill when the UPS workers went on strike. Luckily the strike lasted only a month, and they found some replacements during that time. In October, Louise Woodward, a French Au Pair was charged with the death of an eight-month-old boy. Louise went on trial in the U.S., and was found guilty after several months, but soon returned back to her home country. Also in October, Pathfinder, the mothership who beamed images of the desert landscapes of Mars to earth, uttered its last peep and was hobbled by a dead battery and freezing cold temperatures. Millions of people visited NASA's web-site to see what the Pathfinder found as it toured Mars. In November, Bobbi and Kenny McCaughey of Iowa gave birth to septuplets.

In December, comedian Chris Farley died of an accidental drug overdose. It is said that famous people die in sets of three. Shortly after the death of Chris Farley, Michael Kennedy died from a skiing incident while attempting to play football on skis. Another skiing accident a week later claimed the life of Sonny Bono, the former senator and ex-husband of Cher. In January it was announced that a docking module was added to the Mir Space Station that had been orbiting for 12 years, seven years longer than expected. In mid March, Blizzard "98" was in full force. Many people were stuck at home without power or water for several days and school was cancelled for a week. In April, the famous Clinton Sex Scandal came to a halt when a judge halted the proceedings of a trial whether the plaintiff was Paula Jones or Monica Lewinsky.



Mir Space Station

In May, elections took place. Michael McCormick, Byron Hubbard, and Bart Aiello were voted in as new school board members. Two of the three men were for the building of the new school, making it 4-1 in favor of the new school. Also making the news, Pakistan set five nuclear bombs off underground in May. They did this to so called "settle the score" with India, who set off their own nuclear bombs earlier in the month. All in all, the year brought some interesting news, some of which was stunning, some of which brought hope, and some of which brought fear.



Montserrat



Nikki Hays (12)  
works out at the new  
YMCA.



Mike Perry (12)  
works the polls.

## Let's Hear It!



**How did you feel when we had Blizzard 98 and a week off of school?**

"In the beginning, not having power got kind of frustrating. Once we had heat though, I enjoyed the break from school. Too bad we had to make it up."  
-Faith Robbins (11)



**What was your reaction to the deaths of Princess Diana and Mother Teresa?**

"It was a very sad time. Both did a lot to help people and charities, so they will never be forgotten."  
-Ericka Nance (9)



**How did you feel about the school boards decision to not build a new high school?**

"I felt mad. I really wish they would get a new school. I don't think they realize how much the school is falling apart."  
-Melissa Abramson (12)



**What was your reaction when the McCaughy's had septuplets?**

"I was really happy for them and was amazed that it could even happen."  
- Stefanie Bosel (11)

## Stories Of 97-98

### Top Ten Local News

- 1 Blizzard "98"
- 2 School board election
- 3 New YMCA opens
- 4 Season's McDonalds robbed
- 5 New Post Office built
- 6 Seniors denied waiver
- 7 Closed campus planned
- 8 Zero Gravity opens
- 9 New license law made
- 10 Teachers get new contract

## Top Ten World

### News Stories of 97-98

- 1 Death Of Princess Di
- 2 Death of Mother Teresa
- 3 Clinton sex scandals
- 4 Birth of septuplets
- 5 UPS strike
- 6 High school shootings
- 7 Mars exploration
- 8 Nuclear weapons in India
- 9 Montserrat erupts
- 10 Pathfinder shuts down



Dave Matthews



Shawn Colvin

That's

# Entertainment

Concerts, Sitcoms, and Movies entertain



Paula Cole

**A**cross the country a string of concerts hit the stage. Dave Matthews Band was very popular. The band toured extensively over the course of its four albums, one of which, the newest, was released in May. They came to Chicago for a series of concerts also in May. Geri, Mel B., Emma, Victoria, and Mel C., otherwise known as the Spice Girls took the world by storm with their saucy antics and innumerable shouts of "Girl Power." The girls jumped into stardom appearing to reach overnight success with the release of their album, *Spice*. Rumors that Geri, AKA Ginger Spice, had left the group began

circulating in late May. The group however refused to comment, but Jay Leno reported on his show that there was indeed a search for a new Spice girl. Also hitting the charts, was Hanson, with their song "MMMBop," from their CD entitled *Middle of No Where*.

The Sci-fi blockbuster *Men In Black* hit theatres before the start of school. The movie starred Will Smith (Fresh Prince) and Tommy Lee Jones, who both sported their black Ray Ban sunglasses. The *Men In Black* soundtrack featuring Will Smith's top-charting hit sold big as well. Also hitting the box office in December, out selling every movie in history, even *Star Wars*, was the blockbuster movie *Titanic*. The movie was definitely unsinkable, despite the fact it was a reenactment of the tragedy that took place on that cold April night in 1915. The movie starred the teen idol, Leonardo DiCaprio, better known as Romeo playing Jack, and the up-and-coming actress Kate Winslet, who played Rose. The actual story line never occurred on the ship, but it sure attracted the interest of the public. Celine Dion recorded yet another hit, which was the theme song for this movie. "My Heart Will Go On." The song was heard throughout the world and was even made into other versions, even a fast remix. It stayed in the number one position for over six weeks. A remake of *Godzilla* also hit the screens in May advertising that its special effects made it worth the price of admission.



Hanson



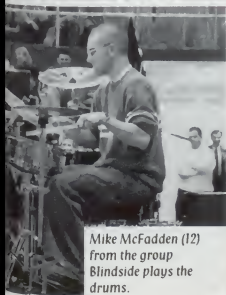
Spice Girls

On television, *Seinfeld* and *Murphy Brown* ended in May with their last episodes compiling a series of previous shows. *Beverly Hills 90210* remained one of the most popular shows. Running close behind was the new series on WB, *Dawson's Creek*, which was about four high school kids growing up in a small community in a small Massachusetts town, Capeside. *South Park*, the animated cartoon with a 90's edge, also stole the airwaves with its sick twisted humor. In addition, *Party of Five* remained at the top, along with *Friends*.





Jeff Daser (11) performs in *Oklahoma!*.



Mike McFadden (12) from the group *Blindside* plays the drums.

## Let's Hear It!



What was your favorite movie this year?

"My favorite movie was the *Titanic*. Not only was it very sad, but the special effects seemed so realistic."

-Sarah Remes (12)



What was your favorite T.V. show?

"It might sound funny, but my favorite show is actually *The Dukes Of Hazzard*. I know it is an old one, but it keeps me on the edge of my seat: its so action packed."

-Becky Henderson (12)



Who was your favorite band or artist?

"My favorite group would be *Barenaked Ladies*. I saw them in concert and they were great. My favorite song is "Brian Wilson."

-Natalie Moorehead (12)



Have you ever been to a concert?

"Yes. I went with my friend Zeb to see *Oasis* and *Metallica* in concert. They were really good. It's fun to see a group perform live. We were going to a *Pearl Jam* concert this summer." - Steve Stewart (12)

### Shows of '97-'98

Ten Most Watched T.V.

- 1 *Seinfeld*
- 2 *Friends*
- 3 *90210*
- 4 *Party of Five*
- 5 *South Park*
- 6 *Simpsons*
- 7 *Dawson's Creek*
- 8 *Baywatch*
- 9 *X-files*
- 10 *ER*

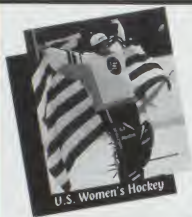
Billboard

### Top Ten Favorite

- 1 *Titanic*
- 2 *Good Will Hunting*
- 3 *As Good As It Gets*
- 4 *Men In Black*
- 5 *Scream 2*
- 6 *Air Force One*
- 7 *Con Air*
- 8 *Boogie Nights*
- 9 *Soul Food*
- 10 *Money Talks*

Billboard

Movies of '97-'98



U.S. Women's Hockey

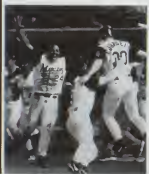


Super Bowl XXXII

Sport

# Shorts

**Scandals, Championships, and Olympics Top Sport News**



1997 World Series

**T** It was an eventful year in the way of sports. Teams in our area: city, region, and state, achieved goals many thought were impossible.

In the Fall, the Florida Marlins won the World Series defeating the Cleveland Indians, and Mike Tyson took a bite out of Evandor Holyfield's ear. He was disqualified in the match and fined. Closer to home, the Girls' Cross Country won their sectional, regional, semi-state and then placed third in the state.

As Winter rolled around, Hoosier Hysteria took over. In our region Valparaiso University's Mens' Basketball team went all the way to the Sweet Sixteen NCAA Tournament and were very close to making it to the Elite 8 Tournament. Kentucky and Utah battled it out for the NCAA College basketball title and Kentucky came out the

victor. In Football news, the Denver Broncos won Super Bowl XXXII, defeating the Green Bay Packers. Also, Sportscaster Marv Albert was involved in a sex scandal, but charges were dismissed because of lack of evidence. On a international scale, the 1998 Winter Olympics took place in Nagano Japan. Fifteen-year-old Tara Lipinski won the gold medal in figure skating for the U.S. She was one of the youngest women ever to win a gold medal. The silver medal also went to the U.S., captured by Michelle Kwan, the American favorite. The Women's Hockey Team made their first appearance at the Olympics and the U.S. won its first gold medal for that sport. Canada won the silver medal. At the end of winter, tragedy hit close to home when the famous announcer for the Chicago Cubs, Harry Carey died. Carey will be remembered as the old sports announcer with the over sized glasses who sang "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" at Cubs' home games. In hometown sports, the Boys' Basketball Team went to semi-state for the first time in history and the first boys' hockey team took to the ice. Also, two wrestlers went to the state finals in Indianapolis. Senior Mark Kaiser went along with Kevin Wilkenson, who was the first freshman in the school's history to go to state.

Spring came in with a bang when the Indiana Pacers played the Chicago Bulls in the Eastern Conference Finals. Living in the Region and being a resident of Indiana caused turmoil for fans. However, the Bulls won, but the series went all seven games. In June, the Bulls defeated the Jazz 4-2, for the NBA title. This was the sixth championship for the Bulls. The Girls' Track Team also had great success. They broke the CPHS record when they won regionals for the first time.

Through the scandals, upsets, disappointments, victories, rivalries, and defeats, teams and individuals in the world and the area kept sports alive, thrilling, and interesting.



WNBA



Josh Huwig (11) goes up for a lay-up.



Laura Lunkes (11) finishes her routine.

## Let's Hear It!



**How did you feel when the Bulls beat the Indiana Pacers?**

"I was very happy because they are the best and are also my favorite team in the NBA. They are unstoppable, and I think they'll do it until M.J. retires."

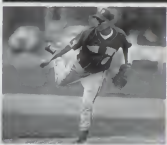
-Craig Bonaccoris (10)



**Who was your favorite athlete?**

"I'd have to say any female tennis player. Tennis of course is my favorite sport, and I look up to the pros because they are so dedicated and talented."

-Jill LaBarge (12)



**How did you feel about the outcome of Super Bowl XXXIII?**

"It was a good game, but I don't follow football too much. I play baseball, so I'm more of a baseball fan. How about those Cubs!"

-Brian Retson (10)



**What was your favorite sports team?**

"I'm a huge fan of hockey, not only because I play it, but because it is so exciting and intense to watch. The Blackhawks are my favorite sports team."

-Billy Condron (9)

## Stories Of 97-98

### Top Ten World Sports

- 1 Tyson bites Holyfield
- 2 Marlins win World Series
- 3 Marv Albert sex scandal
- 4 Announcer Harry Carey dies
- 5 Winter Olympics in Japan
- 6 Broncos win Super Bowl
- 7 WNBA
- 8 U.S. Women's Hockey-Gold
- 9 Kentucky beats Utah
- 10 Bulls win another title

## Top Ten Local

### Sports Stories of 97-98

- 1 Girls' Track to state
- 2 Boys' Basketball semi-state
- 3 Girls' Tennis wins sectional
- 4 Girls' Swim team to state
- 5 Girls' X-country to state
- 6 Boys' Swim team to state
- 7 Wrestling to semi-state
- 8 Boys' Tennis wins sectional
- 9 Frosh Girls' B-ball wins all
- 10 Boys' Golf goes to state

## Auto Club

*"It was nice to be able to work on our cars outside of school and have Mr. Belei to help us." Frank Remes (12)*

Frank Remes, Nick Steen, Brian Moke  
Row 2: Chris Hawes, Nick Sterna, Mr.  
Beleri Row 3: T.J. Wigmore, Kevin  
Fricke, Mike Estes



## Welding Club

*"It was always exciting to watch people catch on fire. Plus welding was a good trade to learn for the future." Ryan Fricke (12)*

Joshua Sumner, Nicholas Sleen, Brian  
Moke, Frank Remes Row 2: Chris  
Hawes, Nick Sterna, David Georgine, Mr.  
Beleri Row 3: T.J. Wigmore, Kevin  
Fricke, Tim Richards, Mike Estes



## Biology Club

*"Mr. Loving's satirical attitude even made photosynthesis semi-interesting. All I can say about Biology Club is we had 'nothing but Love.'" Ryan Morfin (12)*

Miranda Gorchos, Jaime Shebish Row  
2: Ryan Simkins, Jessica Orchowski,  
Ryan Morfin, Erin Bishop, Emily Wildes,  
Sara Hagberg Row 3: Jennifer Thomas,  
Beth Bieker, Soliya Paarlberg, Karen  
Smith, Sara Cook Row 4: Mr. Loving,  
Sarah Remes, Allison Horst, Angela  
Chase, Mandy Sealscott Row 5: Ben  
Carstens, Charles Asher, Andy Wheeler,  
Nick Kaster



## Academic Team

*"I think we have done really well for our first year as a team. Everyone has learned a lot and had a lot of fun." Allison Horst (12)*

Kathey Bonner, Nicole Pifferitti,  
Katherine Weber, Stacy Jovanoski, Sh-  
annon Lowery, Theresa Boscia Row 2:  
Meghan Gowlind, Ryan Morfin, Brittany  
Kubacki, Rick Friedman, Jeff Daseler,  
Allison Horst, Noreen Khaid Row 3:  
Adam Ligda, Dan Parkison, Tim  
Richards, Brian Moke, David Root







Charlie Gora, Mark Kaiser, Charles Asher, Matt Chelap, Brian Simkins Row 2: Joe Rukas, Phil Pierce, Josh Powers, Chris Westford, Mike Higgenbotham, Adam Ligda Row 3: Shannon Lowery, Katherine Weber, Virginia Anello, Beth Jessen, Miranda Gorchos, Kelly O'Brien, Bethany Chandler, Jennifer Sanders, Andrea Claussen, Rachel Rampack Row 4: Susan Hamilton, Jaime Shebish, Torrey Witham, Erin Bishop, Emily Wildes, Brei Connor, Ljubica Knezevic, Sara Cook, Sarah Remes, Megan Carnahan, Danielle Barenie Row 5: Sarah Martin, Kristyn Gyure, Meg Riester, Sarah Little, Ryan Morfin, Doug Schatzman, Karen Smith, Carrie Fercik, Kaley Marsh, Larissa Shames-Yeakel, Sarah Shoup, Jessica Orchowski, Diane Zaragoto Row 6: Chris Spohr, Sara Hagberg, Maryalyce Klaker, Pete Blevernicht, Andy Wheeler, Ryan Yoder, Amy Steinberg, John Hagerman, Lindsey Motkowicz, Andy Liss, Kristen Kronland

## Honor Society

*"Being a member of Honor Society gave me the chance to do volunteer work such as Meals on Wheels. It gave me the opportunity to help people."* Susan Hamilton (12)



Jim Nickovich, David Root, Rick Friedman, Kim Overhage Row 2: Stephanie Zic, Josh Swanson, Dan Walter, Lindsey Motkowicz, Annie Sabalo, Doug Schatzman Row 3: Carrie Fercik, Andrea Claussen, Bethany Chandler, Micah Smith, Ryan Morfin

## Math Club

*"Since I used the knowledge I gained from my previous math classes to answer the questions. I knew that they weren't all a waste of time."* Carrie Fercik (12)



Julie Grevis, Jessica Meyer, Kristina Chlebowski, Andrea Claussen Row 2: Jenn Meyer, Justin Ivey, Heather Hughes, Katie Kards

## Windfall

*"Mr. Bush was the sponsor of this non-profit magazine. It was fun and exciting to find students writing abilities and what different view points were out there."* Andrea Claussen (12)



Melanie Marshall, Melanie McGoldrick, Katherine Weber Row 2: Anthony Stevenson

## Quill and Scroll

*"It was an honor to be a member of Quill and Scroll. You had to be in the top 25% of your class and nominated by your advisor."* Katherine Weber (12)

## Boys' & Girls' State

*"It was a great experience. The people I met were some of the best in the state. The things I learned also became helpful as a high school senior."*

-John Hagerman (12)

## Web Club

*"Web Club was not an easy job, so we were constantly trying to get caught up."*

-Nick Linden (12)

Erin Bishop, Beth Jessen, Sara Hagberg  
Row 2: Josh Swanson, John Hagerman, Tony Barringer, Ben Carstens



Nick Linden, Noreen Khalid, Steve Marshall  
Row 2: Dan Bowser, Tim Richards



## Drama Club

*"It was a great chance to pretend you were someone you weren't and to make other people believe in unfounded talent."*

-Colin Adams (12)

James Potler, Sarah Short, Jennifer Skidmore, Beth Jessen  
Row 2: Virginia Anello, Theresa Boscia, Katherine Weber, Sarah Scherer, Julie Grevis, Colin Adams, Steve Parrish  
Row 3: Shawn Johnson, Don Pierce, Heather Arthur, Jill Maurer, Amanda Boston, Nick Sterna  
Row 4: Kit Degenhart, Joshua Sumner, Rick Friedman, Justin Ivey, Stephanie Zic  
Not pictured: Sarah Martin



## Speech Club

*"Speech club was not only speeches, but also a way to more thoroughly and precisely express your ideas and opinions."* Isaiah Sumner (10)

Jeff Daseler, Brittany Kubacki, Isaiah Sumner





Shawn Johnsen, Ben Carstens, Dave Patti, Steve Parrish, Kevin Wool, Kris Chant Row 2: Don Pierce, Sarah Rose, Jenni Pelton, Jennifer Schaefer, Renee Ullmann Row 3: Chris Hawes, Erik Bilka, Angie Colburn, Marianna Borys, Kristin Miller Row 4: Chris Blow, Joe Replin, Chet Brown, Eric Cooper, Robert Freoman, Jim Depauli



Steve Idalski, Justin Schutz, Jacqui Thompson, Kyle LoGreco Row 2: Jenni Pelton, Melanie McGoldrick, Magan LeNeave, Sara Chandler, Jen Gold Row 3: Kelly Gramenz, Sarah Rose, Mandy Springman, Rebecca Hamilton, Mary Beth Miller Row 4: Danielle Barenie, Dave Patti, Bobby Peterson, Heather Hamilton, Mrs. Overbeeke. Not Pictured: Andy Kirk, Melissa Mariola



Anthony Stevenson, Katherine Weber, Kariye Maloney, Melanie Marshall, Kristen Henderlong Row 2: Angela Shepard, Carolyn Taylor, Kristina Chlebowski, Julia Hamilton, Megan Hite Row 3: Stevie Greco, Meg Ragnier, Mrs. Overbeeke Row 3: Josh Johnson, Jarrett Babinsak, Brian Connelly, David Root Not Pictured: Jane Gillaspie, Angela Heinzman



Chris Dye, Kathey Bonner, Maureen Serlich, Shivani Tejuja, Robert Myers Row 2: Kyle Springman, Angela Chase, Jenni Reppa, Anne Boonjarem, Paul Whitten Row 3: Ryan Walton, Jim Duffy, Ty Trusgnich, Chuck Barman, Chris Watts, Dan Bowser

## Video Club

*"Being in Video Club gave me hands-on experience with video and audio equipment. It let me see how a real T.V. show was produced."* Chris Blow (12)

## Excalibur

*"As a member of the yearbook staff, I had the chance to meet new people. I also learned many skills that may help me in the future."* Mandy Springman (11)

## Inklings

*"Being a member of Inklings has changed my life. My writing has improved so much since last year, and I've decided to major in journalism in college."* Kristen Henderlong (12)

## Japanese Club

*"My favorite part of being in Japanese club was the thrill I got out of learning a language that was fun."* Robert Myers (10)

## French Club 1

"French Club was tons of fun. We participated in many different school activities." Kristen Grompone (9)

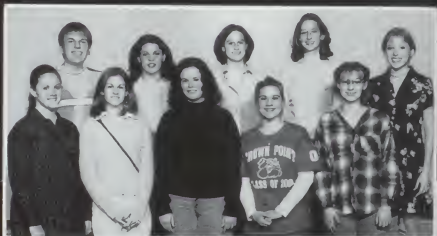
Rachel Easton, Jill Bradford, Kristen Grompone, Rhianna Tomaszak, Sarah Roth, Ashley Rhodes, Crystal Martin, Cynthia Mota, Chris Khamakoski Row 2: Victoria Liss, Kendra Japchinski, Jeanna Syler, Ryan Abella, Chad Booth, Bryan Walter, Adam Link, Chad Gloobi, Tim Fercik Row 3: Ryan Wilkinson, Nate Reilly, Tom Mullins, Jay Sitaras, Jeff Steen, Robby Schrum, Paul Whitten, Jim Walsh, Steve Shaffer



## French Club 2

"I think that we did more activities this year. The leaders did an equally good job as last year." Natalie Perryman (10)

Beth Marshall, Natalie Perryman, Annette Andre, Cassie Werten, Emily Dewes Row 2: Brian Andrews, Brittany Brumbaugh, Brienne Booth, Kristen Shimala, Kelly Andrews



## French Club 3

"I enjoyed French Club because it gave the students time to have fun with French by going to plays and celebrating Mardi Gras." Meghan Gowlan (11)

Trisha Neary, Sarah Scherer, Carolyn Clark, Brei Larson, Michelle Buehrle Row 2: John Turk, Lauren Keiser, Jill Maurer, Jenn Mulholland Row 3: Christy Gentleman, Meghan Gowlan, Allison Horst, John May, Ryan Knutson



## French Club 4

"French Club was a great experience. The activities, and holiday celebrations were fun and educational." Natalie Huddleston (12)

Diane Zaragoza, Mrs. Chary, Natalie Huddleston







Brad Bonik, Sally Caulk, Josh Nickell, Jodi McFadden, Kendra Wynn Row 2: Brianna Moore, Stevie Greco, Gayle Mills, Emily Steiger, Ashley Bush, Kristal Krumwiede Row 3: Andrew Russell, Lauren Erickson, Katie Zelmis, Ben Rock, Bryce Segert, Scott Millsap

## German Club 1

*"German Club did a lot of fun activities. Going to Chicago and shopping at Water Tower Place was great." Ashley Bush (9)*



Ellen Kleivickas, Christine Parry, Jeff Hein, Sarah Hein, Tina Gudenschwager Row 2: Tiffany Johnsen, Dave Carlotta, Scott Mason, Joe Kiefer, Andrea Claussen Row 3: Tom Scott, Pete Blifermicht, Chris Horst, Isiah Summer, Matt Magurean, Justin Gettler Row 4: Dave Meyers, Kevin Cornelius, Aaron Smock, Dan McLain, Justin Jacob, Paul Wirtz

## German Club 2

*"German Club gave us a chance to meet with kids in other German classes. We learned many new things." Paul Wirtz (12)*



Laura Nelson, Angela Kracht, Renee Ullmann, Kate Essex, Kristin Hoffman, Noreen Khalid Row 2: Bob Lewis, Danielle Tovsen, Sarah Zic, Laura Lunkes, Tim Duncan Row 3: Ryan Rapp, Jeff Daseler, Adam Toering, Rick Friedman Row 4: Chris Tebbens, Mike Mucha, Vince Arizzi

## German Club 3

*"German Club was a lot of fun. I learned so many things in it." Ryan Rapp (11)*



Stephanie Zic, Beth Jessen, Sarah Shoup, Janine Cooper Row 2: Nick Tournis, Sarah Martin, Bill Johns, Mr. Rosenbaum Row 3: Adam Fargo, Brian Connelly, Pete Rosenczang, Matt Steiger

## German Club 4

*"Being in German Club was a great opportunity to participate in activities that dealt with the German culture." Janine Cooper*

## Latin Club 1

"I thought Latin Club was great because everyone got to know each other. We also shared our feelings with the other members." Kurt Klepsch (11)

## Latin Club 2

"Everyone enjoyed Latin Club because everyone worked together to make it fun." Leeanna Yoder (10)

## Latin Club 3

"Latin Club was a lot of fun and responsibility. It took a lot of effort to arrange everything. All of our activities were thanks to the officers." Meagan Plants (9)

## Latin Club 4

"Contrary to what many thought, Latin Club was fun. We got to meet Latin students from around the state." Maryalyce Klaker (12)

Amy Brown, Meagan Plants, Dana Duffaly, Lindsey Molkiewicz Row 2: Michael Fornari, Mike Elch, Chris Humbert, Robby Schrum Row 3: Kurt Klepsch, James Devesse, Chip Walter



Sara Flores, Jessica Orchowksi, Megan Ranner, Stacy Jovanaki, Laurie Kyle Row 2: Janet Mondewilo, Tiffany Shekoff, Lauren Griffin, Stephanie Kampeck, Samantha Miller Row 3: Kevin Jenkins, Aaron Mur, Jennifer Wisor, Leeanna Yoder, Eric Kalleher Row 4: Brian Moke, Mike Sykes



Lindsey Persinger, Marissa Dotan, Angela James Row 2: Jeff Daesler, Nicco Lambert, Chris Hamilton



Rachel Rampack, Jaime Shebish, Melissa Krywski, Kristyn Gyure Row 2: Nick Reilly, Maryalyce Klaker, Shannon Lowery, Natalie Moorhead Row 3: Joey Keller, Joshua Sumner, Charles Kotler, Mr. Walker Row 4: Ben Fraley, Brian Simkins, Ryan Yoder





Tiffany, Helen, Erin, Kim, Adam, Kim, Bob, Stoppel, Miranda, Denise, Nicole, Melissa Meyer, Amanda Sprue, Rose  
2. Elizabeth, Christina Lynde, Stephanie Threl, Elizabeth  
Stoppel, Naivee Nix, Adam James, Danna Lyons, Kristin  
Krisner, Kristine, Michelle Malone, Janine Pease, Sierra  
Ventura, Beth Hamilton, Kristin Pappalardo, Jerome Cote  
Dave Thomas, James Menacher, Rose 3. Nick  
Pappalardo, Jennifer Rosemeyer, Kevin Ladue, Kane  
Kane, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin  
Haghighatshah, Beth Horvath, Allison Ratti, Kristin  
Kato, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin, Kristin  
Stephane Giff, Pat McDaniel, Dan Morgan, Jack Kruger, Esther  
White, Kathy Katarovich, Kelly Alexander, Rose 4. Brian  
Kurt, Matt Carter, Nicole Lynde, Samantha Ventura,  
Bryan Cougle, Mike Shreves, Christina Vasa, Ashley  
Carter, Hilary Lands, Kelly Hill, Kristin Stoppel,  
Tami Smith, and Persinger, Lindsay Valentino, Elizabeth  
Andrew, Erica Byrd, Jan Jensen, Rose 5. Chad Simons,  
John Papp, Ryan Daniels, Bob Miller, Dan Melowick,  
John Lewis, John Daniels, Justin Miller, Ryan Markowski,  
Matt Byrd, John Daniels, John Miller, Ryan Miller,  
Copeland, Brian Miller, David Root, K.C. Hespach, Bob  
Copeland, Chad Monier, Al Gyllen



Megan Hirsch, Julia Baraklow, Kate Schwartzman, James Stanziale, Emilie Eitel, Beth Satalo, Sarah Wynn, Amy Volk, Theresa Fradenko, Lazy Norris, Kate Doernan  
Row 2: Kate Wusl & Morgan Vassopoulos, Amy Collins  
Vicky Lacey, Amy Robbins, Rebecca Guess, Leslie Huelal, Kristin Kasper, Lynn Kiser, Melissa Brown, Heather Wolf, Erin Pumley, Julia Hamilton, Lindsay Cox, Brian Reson Row 3 Ryan Abela Debbie Madroski, Julia Hengnash, Kate Sarbelwa, Sabra Whigg, Julia Nowak, Michele Trent, Gayle Mills, Kelli E. Cox, Nicole Ruel, Cheryl Tynes, Kathleen Lambert, Jason Kasper, Mrs. Bingsberg  
Row 4 Rod Marwala, Kim Jambika, Kelly Lindon, Tiffany Thomas, Angela Hernandez, Kate Hein, Linda Daruch, Mike Smith, A. Guillen, Amy Umori, Carli Bonaccors, Celina Rivera, Brian Kater, Megan Makarek, Greg Cadow Row 5 Tony-Fries, Brian Reid, Brad Kowert, Greg Spasolin, Justin Tromp, Don Andersen Tom Gauron, Lauren Voyles, Stephanie Hough, Doreen Clinton, Jim Shulman, Mike Kojima, Jim Johnson



Nicole Malarek, Jenna Rasmussen, Danielle Gable, Malley Springman, Lauren Luedtke, Sara Hurry, Shondel Stebe, Debbie Twiss, Stefanie Bosc, Amanda Lora, Kate Kartes, Melissa Burke Row 2 Faith Roberts, Kristin Callahan, Alexis Hanes, Katie Smock, Elizabeth Thompson, Athena Parks, Tim Reilly, Agee Colburn, Eric Orzechowski, James Potter, Heather Hughes Row 3 Katie Brown, Raquel Borchert, Brian Peterson, Amber H. Legends, Joe Dzugalski, Brad Stone, Al. Guillen, Justin Zehrer, Zach Weeks, Nick Kaster, Jay Stokes, Kyle LoCorno Row 4 Colin Rehm, Mike Anderson, Brian Kavior, Alex Kutanowski, Kris Logozowski, Matt Fronek, Kevin Kniga, Jeff Kattunen, John Moorehead, Josh Hwang, Pat Mills, Jeff Martins



Monica Huelal, Sara Hagberg, Sheila Eniks, Mandi Sealscott, Daniela Sobroski, Jessalyn Dixon Row 2: Karla Condron, Jenny Frazier, RaeAnn Abraham, Sara Cook, Chris Spohr Row 3: Nikki Hays, Annie Gulman, Shaun Hoekstra, Carl Zurborgen, Ryan Morfin

## Spanish Club 1

"Spanish Club helped me understand more about the Spanish culture such as the different ways they celebrate holidays, the games they play, and the food they eat," Kelli Morgan (9)

## Spanish Club 2

*"I thought Spanish Club was a lot of fun because I got to work with all different people, and there was a lot of responsibility involved,"*  
Leslie Huelat (10)

## Spanish Club 3

"Spanish Club was a great activity because my friends were involved in it with me. I liked it because the activities were different and a lot of fun," Nicole Makarek (11)

### Spanish Club 4

"Spanish Club was a good opportunity to meet new people and make new friends. Also, I got to be in the Foreign Language Olympics." Chris Spohr (12)

## Peer As Resource 1

"Peer as Resource gave me the chance to see the effects of our activities benefiting others." Nicole Dwan (11)

Andrea Claussen, Noelle Webster, Beth Beiker, Nicole Dwan, Jessica Polisson Row 2: Jaime Shebish, Natalie Huddleston, Jenna Rasmussen, Jessica Buila, Melissa Burke, Molly Oesterle Row 3: Melissa Marida, Kelly Morgan, Jaime Petersen, Deanna Likens, Lauren Griffith, Carolyn Clark Row 4: Lindsay Coe, Jaime Staniszeski, Emilie Eller, Vicki Lachy, Annette Andre, Branne Booth Row 5: Rhannon Amodeo, Katie Wusik, Morgan Vlassopoulos, Nicholas Dimos, Renee Ullman, Adam Toering Row 6: Katie Schatzman, Heather Burke, Mary Parker, Keith Gorchos, Dan Smith, Melissa Kijewski



## Peer As Resource 2

"Peer as Resource made me feel like I was making a difference in the lives of others by helping them with their studies." Lindsey Motkowicz (12)

Mary Alyce Klaker, Shiuan Tejuja, Meghan Smith, Danielle Scott, Katie Smock, April Bunch, Leslie Jergens Row 2: Kelly Gramenz, Jessica Bannister, Andrea Colburn, Kristyn Gyure, Julia Hamilton, Natalie Moorehead, Jared Persinger, Chris Foshnack, Anna Jessen Row 3: Brian Relson, Jason Stahl, Shelley Patterson, Sarah Roth, Jenny Maynard, Emily Schramm, Jasha Beuchtelmann, Justin Thomas Row 4: Kristen Shimada, Lindsey Motkowicz, Carl Zubriggen, Frank Remes, Joe Dlugokinski, John Hagerman, Katie Bieker, Peter Hagerman, David Root Row 5: Josh Powers, Dan Parkison, Dave Reed, Adam Ligda, Josh Swanson, Kevin Cornelius, Greg Spadoni, Don Anderson



## Lower Lettermen

"It was an honor to be in the Lettermen's Club since I had to play in a varsity tennis match to accomplish this goal." Chris Horst (11)

Nate Reilly, Dan Gillaspie, Justin Pierce, Kyle LoGrecio, Jim Nickovich, Kevin Wood, Brad Stone, Adam Lemir, Steve McColley, Ryan Butler, Matt Phillips Row 2: Dan Bowser, Justin Jacobs, Mark Bohling, Brian Kurth, Dean Costakis, Bob Lewis, John Carol, Jeremy McMillen, John Slahina, Chris Stanek Row 3: Kyle Springman, Jason Stahl, Jason Schatzman, Colin Rennich, Ryan Rapp, Bob Ristieski, Ryan Knutson, Mike Anderson, Matt Magureanu, John Sum, Tom Wicinski, Andrew Osvalds Row 4: Dan Quening, Jared Hays, Chris Horst, Micah Smith, Nate Williams, Jimmy Stahl, Kevin Krajewski, Jon Rukas, Adam Miller, Phil Poulton, Ryan Tracy, Justin Tromp, Justin Heschler Row 5: Bryce Segert, Tim Kaomar, Derek Neill, Nick Melros, Don Andersen, Ryan Angerman, Jeremy Williams, Ryan O'Connor, Josh Zacher, Kevin Sparks, Ty Trusgnich, Craig Bonaccorsi



## Senior Lettermen

"The best part was selling the M&M's even though I still have some left over from my sophomore year." Bobby Peterson (12)

Adam Trugnich, Chris Westlorth, Mike Mucha, Paul Wirtz, Cain Ludermilk, Tom Cicero, Mike Kalmas, Dave Patti Row 2: Jeff Svihra, Mike Avery, Scott Evonik, Mike Emole, Bobby Peterson, Ryan Morphin, Joe Rukas, Phil Pierce, Justin Schulz Row 3: Mr. Caravana, Adam Ligda, Andy Liss, Chris Spohr, Andy Kirk, Doug Schaffman, Dave Sendre, Bob White Row 4: Joe Kieler, Tom Mayer, Tom Weeks, Carl Zubriggen, Brian Simkins, Tom Rock, Josh Powers, Andy Wheeler, Charlie Gora, Charles Asher Row 5: Nick Patterson, Rob Dado, Sam Roberts, Brian Parker, Chad Kamarski, Ken Tucker, Eric Shomaker, Matt Chelap, Pat Schmidt, Mark Kaser







Brian Parker, Jeff Svthira, Mr. Carayannah, Dave Patti Row 2: Ken Tucker, Nick Patterson

## LETTERMEN OFFICERS

"I felt that being a Lettermen officer helped me to keep it real and stay active for life." Dave Patti (12)



Jennifer Skidmore, Melissa Garza, Sarah Glins, Lindsey Molkowicz, Stephanie Zic, Mandi Sealscott, Kelly Gramenz Row 2: Jacqui Thompson, Jamie Shebish, Natalie Huddleston, Beth Bieker, Lauren Griffith, Angela Kracht, Sarah Scherer Row 3: Karen Haley, Crystal Johnson, Lauren Miller, Lindsay Coe, Michelle Buehrle, Lauren Keiser, Ryane Christy, Jodi McFadden, Brei Larson Row 4: Tanja Peposki, Marissa Dolan, Julie Grevis, Heather Arthur, Celia Gura, BethAnn Beck, Elizabeth Mattox, Jen Mulholland, Melinda Henke Row 5: Amy Urwin, Maryalyce Klaker, Brianne Booth, Kim Lambka, Jill Maurer, Melissa Boone, Jessica Bannister, Meghan Smith, Sarah Short, Natalie Perryman

## COLORGUARD

"I have loved being in Colorguard for the last four years. Our hard work and dedication has helped us improve tremendously." Elizabeth Mattox (12)



Beth Sabato, Jessica Ohlenkamp, Nicole Nowaczyk, Crystal York, Lisa Wheeler Row 2: Alison Vetter, Jennifer Dienes, Jen Anderson, Melissa Mariola, Sarah Zonder Row 3: Erin Plumbley, Josie Koehler, Christina Douglas, Valarie Schweitzer Row 4: Megan Hite, Rachel Peyovich, Sarah Douglas, Rebecca Guess

## LOWER GVC

"I was proud to be a member of the GVC. It allowed me to express my pride in earning a letter." Melissa Mariola (9)



Angela James, Kristin Hoffman, Kelly O'Brien, Kaley Marsh, Annie Sabato, Nicole Heyl, Valerie Bush, Katie Gora Row 2: Mrs. Szol, Elizabeth Thompson, Mandie Boardman, Kristen Thiel, Kristen Callison, Karen Smith, Suzanne Herndon, Molly Oesterle, Rene Ullmann Row 3: Carrie Anderson, Gail Weibaker, Jessica Bannister, Danielle Tovson, Amy Steinberg, Shannon Myers, Jen Mulholland Row 4: Marianna Borys, Sara Babich, Karlye Maloney, Nicole Hays, Janine Cooper, Torrey Witham, Carolyn Taylor, Carrie Percik

## UPPER GVC

"It was an honor to earn a spot in the Girls' Varsity Club after winning a letter in varsity tennis." Torrey Witham

## Upper Key Club

"I enjoyed belonging to an organization that helped people. It felt good to know that the money we raised went to sick people or kids with disabilities." Mary Scott (12)

## Lower Key Club

"I enjoyed being a member of the Key Club because it gave me the opportunity to help others in the school." Jill Bradford (9)

## HERO ICE COE 1

"I enjoyed being in HERO. It was a great learning experience. I recommend it to any student who wants to be involved in business." Jenn Meyer (12)

## HERO ICE COE 2

"Hero taught the things I needed to know when leaving high school and entering the work world." Misty Granger (12)

Jenny Kaltunas, Megan Renner, Mary Scott, Jenny Frazier Row 2: Amy Wall, Renee Ullmann, David Root



Rhiannon Amodeo, Katie Wusik, Lindsay Coe, Lauren Griffin, Annette Andre, Carissa Klingberg, Andrea Tournis, Kate Oberman, Danielle Scott Row 2: Katie Schatzman, Jody Longfellow, Stephanie Kampick, Jaime Staniszeski, Beth Yuratis, Lauren Miller, Ashley Rhodes, Christine Parry, Michelle Petri Row 3: Mandy Emrick, Kitten Grompone, Erin Kirk, Deanna Likens, Julia Hamilton, Nicole Lincoln, Lacey Norris, Adam Link, Crystal Martin, Brian Retson Row 4: Peter Hagerman, Brianne Booth, Kristen Shimala, Breanne Scheldberg, Amy Unwin, Stephanie Huwig, Jenny Maynard, Sarah Steiger, Katie Lemke, Dan McLain



Jen Kruit, Mandy Sealscott, Erin Villa, Aimee Heidebreder Row 2: Megan Koonce, Ashley Fritz, Tahya Holevis, Jenn Meyer, Nicole Hall Row 3: Rick Grajdo, Allison Klavas, Tara Hollar, Eric Goodman Row 4: Jeremy Myers, Jeremy Powers, Kris Pejaski, Nathan Plants Row 5: Carl Schrum, Jeremy Carnell



Heather Wirtz, Erin Weber, Samantha Carroll, Tracy Marlow Row 2: Whitney Rogers, Brittany Hartman, Misty Granger, Renee Badali, Jessica Herlitz Row 3: Michelle Sigler, Mary Waller, Warden Hall, Becky Henderson, Tina Ernst Row 4: Clint Schreiber, Wayne Hiestand, John Builla, Jeremy Doffin, Jim Greer





Bethany Chandler, Larissa Shames-Yeakel, Sara Hagberg Row 2: Ashley Highsmith, Shannon Korsenowski, Mike Kalmes, Jennifer Sanders, Ryan Morfin Row 3: Justin Warren, Tom Meyer, Josh Swanson, John Hagerman, Mandy Sealscott

## Senior Student Council

*"I liked feeling that I was helping to make some decisions for our school and representing our student body."*  
Larissa Shames-Yeakel (12)



Beth Jamison, Danielle Cable, Debbie Thompson, Larissa Shames-Yeakel, Bethany Chandler, Jennifer Sanders, Shannon Korsenowski, Ashley Highsmith Row 2: Colleen Chapman, Jennifer Skidmore, Sara Hagberg, Molly Oesterle, Megan Renner, Nicole Makarek, Jen Kutanowski Row 3: Ryan Morfin, Collen Mayer, Jenna Rasmussen, Mandy Sealscott, Amy Hein, Doug Schatzman, John Hagerman Row 4: Mike Kalmes, Justin Warren, Dan Parkison, Josh Swanson, Ryan Rapp, Tom Meyer, Mika Smith

## Upper Student Council

*"I liked being involved with the Student Council because it gave me the chance to help others."*  
Danielle Cable (11)



Kelly Andrews, Blythe Hamilton, Megan Makarek, Julia Hamilton, Brittany Brumbaugh, Lacey Norris, Katie Melros, Kristen Grompone Row 2: Sarah Roth, Deanna Likens, Ashley Kaster, Ashley Bush, Jessica Ohlenkamp, Lindsey Ciochina, Kelli Hein, Rhiannon Amodeo Row 3: Rachel Schaafsma, Jen Tortolano, Emily Steiger, Ashley Rhodes, Melissa Mariloe, Natalie Nix, Kristine Rasmussen Row 4: Dave Myers, Tom Gancarz, Doug Schatzman, Ryan Morfin, Josh Swanson, Jeremy Williams, Mike Zunica

## Lower Student Council

*"I enjoyed helping the school and the community. Student Council was a great opportunity to do that."* Jeremy Williams (10)



Beth Jessen, Molly Oesterle, Elizabeth Schmitz, Natalie Nix, Sarah Roth, Melissa Mariloe Row 2: Kristin Hoffman, Melissa Burke, Amanda Turner, Kelly Gramenz, Kim Overhage, Shannon Fleming, Nicole Makarek Row 3: Kristine Rasmussen, Leslie Jergens, Jenny Kaltunas, Megan Renner, Angela Heinzman, Kristen Henderlong, Erin Thompson Row 4: Katie Smock, Ashley Bush, Amber Volk, Tim Riley, Angie Colburn, Colleen Mayer, Josh Johnson

## Booster Club

*"Booster club was really fun. It was a cool way to get involved with Spirit Week activities."*  
Beth Jessen (12)

## Kiwanians

"I went to the meetings only to be surprised. Those old folks were funny and nice. They really helped our community out." Ryan Morfin (12)

## Rotarians

"Rotarian's Club was a chance to meet with members of the community. It was also nice to get out of school and get a good lunch." Paul Wirtz (12)

## Symphonic Band

"Symphonic Band was a good musical experience. It helped me understand music better." Jenna Rasmussen (11)

## Jazz Band

"The music we played in Jazz Band just sounded good and was fun to play. Jazz is such an open form of music." Vince Arizzi (11)

Melanie McGoldrick, Monica Huelat, Jessica Orchowski, Jamie Shebish, Annie Sabato Row 2: Kristen Henderlong, Kathrine Weber, Sarah Little, Tracey Ostrowski Row 3: Brian Moké, Ryan Morfin, Dan Parkison, Chris Spohr, Dave Patti



Beth Jessen, Andrea Claussen, Kelly O'Brien, Jill LaBarge Row 3: Melanie Marshall, Doug Schitsman, Gail Weibaker, Katie Marsh, Meg Reister Row 3: Phil Pierce, Jeff Shvira, Paul Wirtz, Tom Meyer, Dan Parkison, Mike Kalmes



Ms. Shaffer, Jeff Daseler, Jaquie Nelson, John Hagerman, Megan Guyer, Steve Greco, Amanda Bostian, Isaiah Sumner, Brian Smkins Row 2: Colin Adams, Jackie Reynolds, Jenna Rasmussen, Katie Marsh, Torey Wilham, Jamie Shebish, Beth Jessen Row 3: Kristy Fouch, Allison Bosel, Veronica Lyand, Matt Langel, Susan Hirapack, Theresa Boscia, Tim Duncan, Diane Zaragosa, Natalie Barerie, Danielle Barerie, Nicole Miskank, Nicci Lambert Row 4: Suzanne Henden, Dave Evans, Mindy Henke, Melissa Simson, Kiki Johnson, Annette Andre, Branne Booth, Adam Toering, Eric Spindler, Chris Retson, Carrie Ferick, Peter Hagerman, Krislen Gyure, Amy Mummery, Julia Hamilton Row 5: Rhannon Amodeo, Blythe Hamilton, James Abbott, Lindsey Melikowicz, Allison Horst, Meghan Gowing, Lauren Enkson, Chris Tebbiers, Steve Shaffer, Chris Hamilton, Chris Watts Row 6: Brian Retson, Craig Bonnacors, David Root, Matt Goletz, Chris Horst, Chris Blow, Vince Arizzi, Josh Bomar, Meg Reister, Mike McCadden, Andy Weeks, Ryan Henderlong, Chad Wolfe



Nicholas Dimos, Matt Langel, Peter Hagerman, Brian Retson, Allison Horst Row 2: John Hagerman, Chris Hamilton, Chris Horst, Carrie Ferick Row 3: Chris Watts, Isaiah Sumner, Brian Giacomini, Karissa Guyer, Vince Arizzi, Chris Blow







Beth Sabato, Theresa Fredericks, Jody Longfellow, Lauren Keiser, Lacey Norris, Lisa Hogan Row 2: Matt Langel, Megan Makarek, Cassie Werlin, Lauren Griffith, Jill Jones, Debbie Modrowski, Lisa Wheeler Row 3: Sarah Walters, Melissa Boone, Kristen Shimala, Megan Guyer, Laura Lukes, Dan Thornberry Row 4: Rick Friedman, Chris Hamilton, Scott Elder, Tim Ferick, Brian Retson, Aaron Wirtz, Chris Retson

## Concert Band

*"I have enjoyed Concert Band for the last four years. It has given me the chance to learn three different instruments to enhance my musical expertise." Ryan Henderlong (12)*



Jody Longfellow, Danielle Barenie, Katie Metros, Beth Jessen, Anna Jessen, Jenny Barr, Theresa Fredericks, Justin Whitesell, Beth Sabato Row 2: Jamie Shebish, Lauren Griffith, Melissa Stinson, Kiki Johnson, Rachel Harrell, Nicci Lambert, Megan Guyer, Rhiannon Amodeo, Alyson Bosel Row 3: Megan Makarek, Matt Langel, Jackie Reynolds, Justin Ashby, Brian Hamilton, Katie Wursk, Jill Bradford, Karl Schilling, John Hagerman Row 4: Aaron Wirtz, Peter Hagerman, Deanna Likens, Brian Retson, Emily Schramm, Brian Simkins, Jenny Maynard, Theresa Boscia, Tim Duncan, Derek Thornberry

## Pep Band 1

*"It was nice to know that I participated in a group that helped the fans cheer our basketball teams on." Aaron Wirtz (10)*



Kristy Fowch, Amanda Bostian, Jeff Daseler, Beth Sabato, Isaiah Sumner, Chris Retson, Brian Giacomo, Matt Goletz, Brian Price Row 2: Nicole Frost, Theresa Fredericks, Jillian Jones, Debbie Modrowski, Katie Adams, Erin Anderschock, Kate Hays, Jeanelle Nault, Robbie Schrum, Vince Anizi, Tim Duncan Row 3: Julie Stenberg, Laura Lukes, Annette Andre, Brannie Booth, Kristin Shimala, Melissa Boone, Lacey Norris, Sarah Walters, Allison Horst, Natalie Barenie, Chris Hamilton Row 4: Brooke Gracik, Kristen Grompone, Rick Friedman, Alyson Bosel, Dan Bowser, Lisa Hogan, Adam Eich, Kiki Klobucar, Dan Thornberry, Adam Ken, Chris Horst, Eric Spindler Row 5: Adam Toim, Paul Fleming, Craig Bonaccorsi, Alex Keeney, Kassie Miller, Kiki Eich, Colin Adams, David Root, Marisa Wheeler, Jeanna Syler, Matt Boyd, Mike McFadden, Ryan Henderlong, Chris Tebbens

## Pep Band 2

*"Being in the pep band meant we got to attend all the basketball games and provide entertainment for the crowd. It was also a chance to hang out with friends." Natalie Barenie (11)*



Matt Arroyo, Beth Jessen, Amanda Bostian, Kristen Thiel, Julie Gross, Bre Larson, Shannon Lowery, Jackie Reynolds, Sara Flores, Kristen Carlson, Mrs. Haley-Bonidine Row 2: Chris Tebbens, James Potter, Jenna Rasmussen, Sara Ferraro, Amy Mummy, Stephanie Zic, Elizabeth Thompson, Jill Maurer, Diane Zaragosa, Nicole Jones, Britany Kubacki, Vince Anizi Row 3: Paul Fleming, Steve Parrish, Jen Skidmore, Melissa Garza, Suzanne Herndon, Heather Hamilton, Kyle Sparrow, Dan Thornberry, Jon Turk, Nick Linden, Mark Wittig, Justin Ivey, James Abbott Row 4: Seth Norwalk, Cylil Dullalia, Brian Andrews, Sara Martin, Meemda Henke, Sarah Short, Katie Potter, J. J. Calane, Scott Mason, Jason White, Greg Sutton, Lucas Mackey

## Concert Choir

*"This was my first year in choir, so I was nervous. But it turned out to be the best experience of my high school career." James Abbott (12)*

## Freshmen Girls' Choir

"I thought choir was very fun. I enjoyed performing at ISSMA and at concerts." Jodi McFadden (9)

Kristine Rasmussen, Kristen Pavlovich, Christa Angelow, Erin Shanley, Stephanie Wilkins, Christina Vaca, Deanna Likens, Hannah Petyki, Canessa Klingberg, Rachel Harrell, Jessica Back, Mary Green Row 2: Andrea Stan, Emily Schramm, Tasha Beauchamp, Mimi Steiger, Shannon Bishop, Nicole Frost, Kristen Grompone, Ashley Rhodes, Kristen Slepceovich, Jocelyn Wiley, Lauren Miller, Kelly Morgan Row 3: Nicole Glaser, Lindsay Valentino, Rachel Easton, Becky Guenther, Dala Duffala, Andrea Jacobs, Megan Plants, Karen Haley, Melissa Booker, Lakea Harvey, Julie Steinberg, Susan Igin Row 4: Celia Gure, Laun Floyhar, Michelle Pety, Ashley Bush, Jodi McFadden, Heather Burke, Jamie Pierre, Kase Adams, Erin Anderschock, Enca Knick, Nicole Lincoln, Michelle Motile



## Chamber Orchestra

"I enjoyed being a member of the chamber orchestra. It was nice to perform with a small group of all talented musicians." Nicole Poloncy (11)

John Mullen, Jennifer Skudmore, Faith Robbins, Peter Hagerman Row 2: Brian Gacomini, Megan Plants, Karen Haley, Shondi Sleet, John Hagerman Row 3: Julie Grevis, Brei Larson, Jen Mulholland, Nicole Poloncy Row 4: Nico Echlerling, Mr. Deal, Mike Zunica, Roy Stegall, Courtney Warren



## Orchestra Strings

"Orchestra was a great musical experience. It was an excellent way of combining music and education." Heather Arthur (12)

Brian Andrews, Ryan Tracy, Elizabeth Mattox, Megan Carnahan, John Mullen, Jen Skudmore, Faith Robbins, Peter Hagerman, Sara Hods, Angela Kracht, Beth Katcher, Joe Kiefer Row 2: Jessica Knight, Kelly Kiavas, Christina Leyva, Natalie Johnsen, Megan Plants, Karen Haley, Shondi Sleet, Sarah Malowski, Brooke Homich, Mike Ellen, Andrea Touris, Travis Smith, Kim Overhager Row 3: John Sarabach, Beth Jamison, Elizabeth Thompson, Leannora Yoder, Kristine Rasmussen, Julie Grevis, Brei Larson, Jen Mulholland, Nicole Poloncy, Ryan Abella, Jessica Polissom, Diana Crooks, Pat McBrian, Brian Gacomini Row 4: Bill Sanford, Tiffani Johnson, Heather Arthur, Joy Longfellow, Nico Echlerling, Courtney Warren, Sarah Scherer, Beth Yuritis, Bridget McBride, Amy Kwiatkowski, Sara Babich, Emily Wildes, Enca Massey, Mr. Deal Row 5: Conrad Harris, Samantha Miller, Ben Fraley, Roy Stegall, Mike Zunica, Jeremy Williams, Kathleen Lambert, Ryan Yoder, Sara Hagberg, Erin Bishop, Sara Goltensden, John Hagerman, Quinn Wilham, Chris Damjanovic



## Winds & Percussion

"Orchestra was fun and exhilarating, even when we didn't play. I liked orchestra, and orchestra liked me." Chris Watts (10)

Mr. Deal, Meg Reister, Jenna Rasmussen, Theresa Boscia, Beth Jessen, Diane Zaragosa, Allison Root, Julie Steinberg Row 2: David Root, Jackie Reynolds, Melissa Stinson, Annette Andre, Rhannon Amodeo, Chris Tebbens, Julia Hamilton, Chris Hamilton Row 3: Jeff Daseler, Peter Hagerman, Carrie Ferick, Branne Booth, Amanda Boston, Eric Spindler, Chris Watts, Vince Auzzi Row 4: Chris Horst, Danielle Barenie, Allyson Bosel, Blythe Hamilton, Mike McFadden, Travis Christy, Ryan Henderling





Kristy Funch: Erika Massey, Jackie Reynolds, Anna Jessen, Erica Knick, Virginia Anello Row 2: Jill Bradford, Meghan Smith, Michelle Trent, Christine Parry, Deanna Livens, Kristine Coe, Sarah Ferraro Row 3: Stephanie Zic, Mimi Steiger, Lindsay Ciachina, Audrey Melros, Sara Chandler, Erin Shanley, Nicole James Row 4: Ashley Bush, Heather Burke, Rachel Easton, Lauren Erikson, Lacey Norris, Kristen Grompone

## Girls' Show Choir

"Being in show choir was a lot of fun. I made most of my closest friends by being in music. I would recommend it to anyone who is interested in music." Jackie Reynolds (12)



Cynt Dufalla, Beth Jessen, Sara Flores, Amanda Bostian, Julie Grevis, Diana Crooks, Aaron Mour Row 2: Chris Tebbens, Marissa Dolan, Kristen Calison, Melissa Garza, Jill Maurer, Brittany Brumbaugh, Beth Yuraitis, Matt Arroyo, Jon Lowery Row 3: James Potter, Jenna Rasmussen, Jen Skudmore, Suzanne Herndon, Melinda Henke, Sarah Short, Katie Potter, Brian Andrews Row 4: Scott Mason, Jeff Daseler, Vince Anzzi, Steve Parrish, Jason White, Dave Meyers, Lucas Mackey, Paul Fleming, Jon Turk

## Mixed Show Choir

"Mixed Show Choir was like a giant family to me. We all knew each other really well. I think that helped us have a certain chemistry when we performed." Amanda Bostian (12)



Kate Schatzman, Erika Massey, Jackie Reynolds, Christine Parry, Laura Lunkes Row 2: Mrs. Haley-Borodine, Amber Collins, Grace Sbalchiero, Eric Chick, Chris Aiello, Kara Carper, Angie Kracht, Angela Wright, Adam Link, Nicole Heyl, Kim Beach, Charlie Kuzma, Lydia Scott, Eboni Hardin Row 3: Saral Zemako, Dana DePauli, Tabitha Bartholomew, Amy Collins, Marissa Dolan, Janet Montwillio, Melissa Shinson, Branne Booth, Alison Veiter, Lindsay Fritz, Jeanna Syler, Janet Myslewec, Candace Smith Row 4: Karyne Bronam, Crystal Johnson, Terri Bartholomew, Leanna Yoder, Kate Oberman, Tiffany Skeloff, Kendra Japchinski, Lauren Griffith, Nicole Piferenti, Samantha Zestanakis, Alexis Evans, Kristina Miller Vicki Anderson

## Treble & Mixed Choir

"Mixed choir has enabled me to meet a lot of younger students and learn more about choral music. Mrs. Borodine made singing fun, and we all loved her." Jeff Daseler (11)



Jackie Thompson, Julie Grevis, Beth Yuraitis, Meghan Smith, Lauren Voyles Row 2: Emilie Etter, Jill Bradford, Sara Chandler, Virginia Anello, Anna Jessen, Stephanie Sull, Trisha Neary, Brittany Brumbaugh, Jenny Andrich Row 3: Laura Brunetti, Morgan Wasspoures, Lacey Morris, Jen Wisor, Michelle Trent, Steve Stewart, Rob Schum, Emily Doves, Mrs. Haley-Borodine Row 4: Lindsey Coe, Marc Staples, Jason Kapera, Derek Trumberry, Justin Ivey, Dave Meyers, Lindsay Ciachina, Tiffany Herron, Jenny Fraser Row 5: Sara Hen, Tim Duncan, Matt Boyd, Brandon Wallace, Kyle Sparrow, Jon Lowery, Scott Elder, Chris Daska, Jana Gillespie

## Mixed Choir

"Mixed choir was great. The members of the choir were close, and we all gained a lot of musical experience." Emilie Etter (10)



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-Mandy Sealscott (12)*



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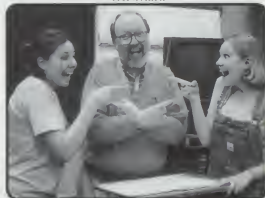


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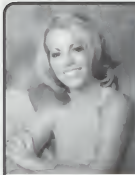


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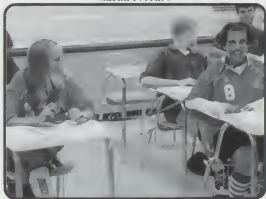
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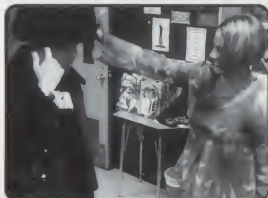
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*"Lisa Sarbiewski and I were on our way to Ragstock in Chicago, but we were having a hard time getting to Belmont. There was a woman walking down the road while we were waiting at a stop sign. Lisa started to go not realizing that the woman was not out of the way! We bumped into her. We didn't hurt her in any way, but it ticked her off. She gave us nasty looks and we couldn't stop laughing about it all day."*  
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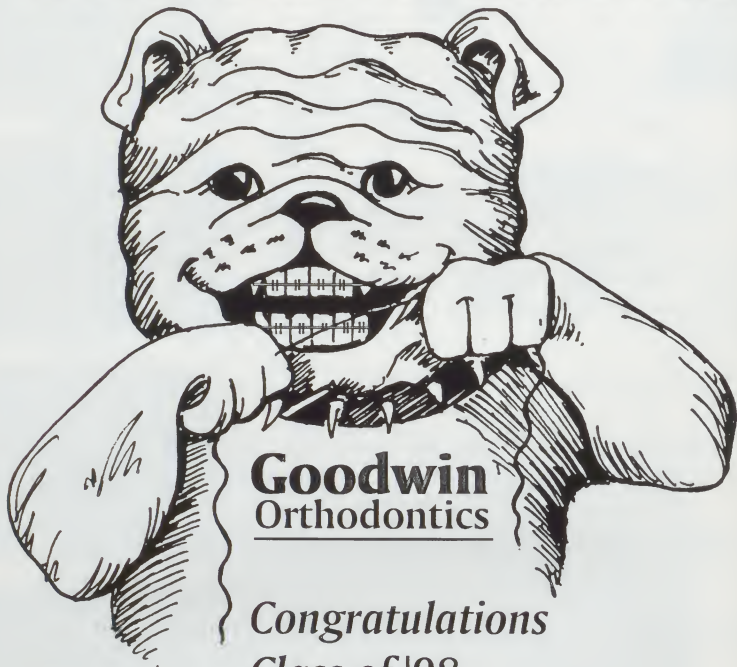
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Stage (second stage) because we  
didn't like the band on the main  
stage. We got over there and  
made our way to the mosh pit, and  
I happened to be the first of us to  
go in. As soon as I ran in, some  
guy came out of nowhere and  
decked me in the face! Now that  
I think about it, it's kind of  
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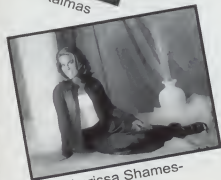
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*"Over the summer, my best friend Brittany Kubacki, went to Arizona. She had to walk 1/2 mile down to visit cave dwellers. It was 95 degrees outside and after she walked back up she saw a sign that said "You should bring water." Well, she'll know better next time!!*

*Nicole Pifferitti (12)*

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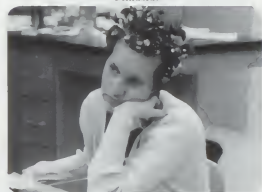
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with a group, and I stayed  
in a small town called  
Rempten. We attended  
school there and lived the life  
of a normal German teenager.  
After that, we traveled  
around Germany. Then  
Sarah Shoup and I stayed  
there for three more weeks.  
The whole trip was very inter-  
esting and enjoyable."  
Bill Johns (12)*

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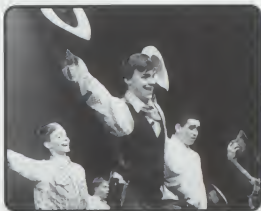
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*"This summer something very exciting happened. I was walking down the street and I said to my friends, 'I'm thirsty.' My friends said, 'I trust your thirst drink Sprite.' So, I bought a Sprite. I went to throw away the cap, then my friends yelled, 'Don't throw away that cap, you could win a free Sprite.' I stared in amazement at the cap that said, 'You won a free 3oz. bottle of Sprite.' Then I found out I had to pay 9 cents tax!"*  
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*Marydylce Klaker (12)*

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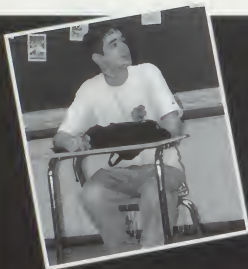
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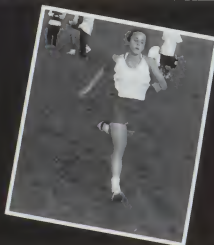
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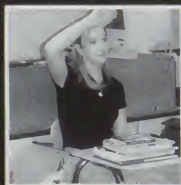
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## In Loving Memory Of A Beloved Teacher



Marilee Tharholt,  
English teacher, passed  
away Saturday, March  
28, 1998 at the age of 60.  
Ms. Tharholt came to  
Crown Point High School  
in 1968 and retired in  
1996.

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*Disguising* their colorfully painted faces, sophomores Kelly Faustich, Shannon Clay, Mindy Kazora, and Jessica Burke watch the Homecoming parade. Students got in the mood for spirit week by participating in the dress up days. The day of the game and parade was red and white day.  
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## QUIP

"The Friday before Spring Break the halls were pretty empty. A lot of people left a few days early for their vacation destinations. In my first hour English class, a class usually full of about 28 seniors, most of the desks were empty. When the bell rang our teacher, who had been monitoring the hallway, came in the room and immediately said, 'Hey, there are only ten of you here. Where is everybody?' Andrea Clausen then asked the teacher, 'How did you count so fast. You just walked in the room

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*Being* volunteer work for National Honor Society, Miranda Gorchos helps prepare food for Meals on Wheels along with her younger sister. "I had fun because I knew I was helping others, which made me feel good about myself."  
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*Preparing* for the Academic Team Allison Horst (11) talks with teammate Jack Friedman (11) while enjoying the nice weather. Since the school's temperature was either too hot or too cold, many teachers took their students outside for class when the weather permitted.  
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*During the fall play, George Washington Slept Here, Virginia Anello (12) engages in a friendly conversation with fellow cast member Cyril Duffala (14). "I loved performing in the plays because it was fun and also a good way to express myself," she said.*  
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## QUIP

and knew there were ten of us. Paul Wirtz (12) then asked, "What are you some kind of mathematical genius? Well, Mrs. Overbecke just laughed. A few minutes later, she told us about a good movie she had seen. She said she would really like to show it to us in class, but that the language was really bad. We asked, "How bad is it? She said it had 50 curse words in it. Paul then asked her, "Did you actually count the bad words or did you just know how many there were at the end of the movie? Everybody cracked up laughing."

- Bobby Peterson (12)

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*Twirling her flag during a colorguard routine, Michelle Buehrle (11) entertains the crowd at a home football game. The colorguard teamed up with the marching band during halftime shows to get the crowd and the community riled up for the rest of the game.*  
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*Spun by Tim Reilly (11), Ashley Bush (11) holds on tightly while upside down. The two danced to "The Farmer and the Cowman" during the spring musical, Oklahoma.*  
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Mr. Hubbard said, "I'm glad to see this community stood up and answered the question that has been asked for four years."

Spring was in the air. As the days grew longer and the weekends grew shorter, seniors spent their free time, or lack thereof, preparing their open houses, finalizing their prom plans, deciding which day would be the "perfect ditch day" and getting ready for the big graduation ceremony. "It seems like there is so much that I have to do in preparation for graduation. But I'll be happy when its over and I can party," said Alex Talevski (12). The senior class couldn't decide on a ditch day that would be convenient to all students, so there had two different ones. "I took both because they were both nice sunny hot days," said Vince Stephens (12).

All in all, the year was almost over. No more scantrons, overcrowded lockers, or heavy books to lug around. Seniors would leave with many memories and newly gained knowledge. They would remember the hard times; tests, homework, report cards, and finals, and also the fun times; dances, football games, awards, spring breaks, and graduation. The last bell rang, tears fell, cameras flashed, and students flew out the doors. For seniors, it was time to say, "Good-bye." And for the underclassmen... "Hello summer!" —Melanie McGoldrick

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NEW SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS WERE ELECTED

I was happy because for once Crown Point might actually get something out of it. I'm a new high school! —Jen Koscielniak (11)

ACADEMIC TEAM BROUGHT HOME FOUR TITLES.

I was very happy because I was on the team and it was an honor to be part of such an intelligent team of students. —Allison Dorse (11)

THE NEW LICENSE LAW WAS MADE?

I'll have my permit for six months by the time I can get my license anyway but I feel sorry for the younger people who will have to wait longer. —Ryan Highsmith (9)

FOUR SEASONS' MCDONALDS WAS ROBBED?

I was there closing, and it was scary because you never thought it would happen around here. —Melissa Kjewski (12)

THE TITANIC WAS SUCH A HUGE SUCCESS?

I think it was great because it was an educational as well as entertaining way of learning about the history of the Titanic. —Kimberly Podawski (9)



Assisting his amiga, Brian Callison (11) is careful not to spill water in Jerry Callison (11). Students learned about Spanish culture and traditions in third year Spanish.

Helping with the Homecoming decorations, freshmen Jamie Petersen, Samantha Versnel, and Amanda Bernard paint stars. Student Homecoming club was in charge of the Homecoming decorations.

# QUIPS & QUOTES



*Finishing with his assignment, Bryan Schaefer (9) talks with some friends. (top left) After lunch, Noreen Khalid (11) finds a unique place to cram for a test. (above) During orchestra, Jen Mullholland (11) practices on her violin for an upcoming concert.*





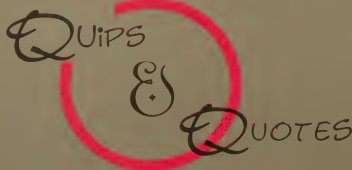


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